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GENERAL NEWS.

[By Telegraph to the Oregonian.]

Storm in Ohio.

CINCINNATI, March 14--Advices from the interior of this state indicate that the storm of the past two days has been one of great severity. A great amount of damage has been done to property generally and especially railroad property. A large portion of the lower part of Mansfield Ohio is covered by water to the depth of three feet covering the first floors of many dwellings

Wheat Crop Reports.

The Gazette publishes dispatches from fifty seven points in southern Ohio Indiana and northern Kentucky, from which it appears that the prospect for a large crop of wheat is exceedingly good The acreage sown last fall is larger than ever known Not one report is unfavorable, though from a few points there are apprehensions of a rank growth

The Legislature and the Returning Board

NEW YORK, March 14--The Herald's New Orleans special says There appears little doubt that the legislature is held here in connection with the returning board pardons. It was stated this morning by undoubted authority, that fourteen Democratic senators had agreed to stand by Gov. Nicholls in pardoning Anderson, and they would delay legislation until Anderson's case was decided by the supreme court. In furtherance of this arrangement they have not passed any of the important house bills sent to them, and are delaying matters in every possible way.

Coining the New Silver Dollar.

PHILADELPHIA, March 13--Exchanging the new silver dollars for gold commenced at the mint this morning. To-morrow 10,000 new dollars will be sent to New York The coinage hereafter will be at the rate of $10,000 per day.

The Men of Wall Street get the First.

NEW YORK, March 14.--The new silver dollars appeared on Wall street this morning [illegible] paid a fraction above par in gold for [illegible] as tokens.

The Charter Oak Revived

HARTFORD, Conn., March 13--A bill reorganizing the Charter Oak Life Insurance Co as a mutual company, passed the senate and house to-day.

A Rough Blow.

[illegible], March 11.--A heavy storm unroofed houses, killed a great quantity of stock and inflicted other serious damage

Train Ditched.

CHEYENNE, March 13--The west bound passenger train was thrown from the track a mile west of North Platte, at 2.30 o'clock this morning by a broken rail The engine [illegible] passed over all right, the baggage and two coaches and sleeper were badly wrecked, but no one was hurt. There were [illegible] cars attached to the rear of the train, which were replaced on the track and taken back to North Platte with the passengers, who will remain there until the next [illegible] west.

Through at Last.

The Colorado Central train so long snowed in at Taylor's and Lone Tree arrived here at [illegible] o'clock this morning.

Through Trains.

OMAHA, March 14--Three through Union Pacific trains from the west, the first since [illegible] Friday, arrived here to-day Another is due to-morrow forenoon.

The westward train which left here yesterday was ditched six miles west of North Platte at 2 o'clock last night, owing to a broken rail, nobody hurt, slight damage done. The train was got on the track again this afternoon and started west.

Heavy Failures.

NEW YORK, March 14--The failure is reported of Baldwin & Flaggs, probably the most extensive manufacturers of hats in the country. Liabilities, $350,000, of which $300,000 [illegible] real estate, and the balance merchandise.

The [illegible] and direct liabilities of John Reed & Co. is now stated $204 000 In addition there are contingent liabilities of [illegible] It is expected a settlement will be made at 50 cents on the dollar

Accidentally Killed.

[illegible], March 14--B. Anderson, aged [illegible] son of A. B. Anderson late proprietor of the Morrow House, Fresno, was accidentally killed at 11.40 this morning by the accidental discharge of a shotgun while hunting [illegible] the charge tearing away the [illegible] portion of his head and face Deceased was well known and universally respected throughout Fresno county.

The Marsh Harvester Co's Failure.

CHICAGO, March 14.--A number of the creditors of the Marsh Harvester Co', of Sycamore and Chicago, have filed a petition asking that it be adjudicated a bankrupt The creditors represent $197,000 of indebtedness, and the claim is set up that the debtors made a fraudulent assignment of a large amount of property to Arthur M. Stark. The company has been greatly embarrassed by the recent failure of [illegible] & Co., of Chicago, with which [illegible] intimate business relations.

Death of Commodore Pinkney.

BALTIMORE, March 14.--Commodore Robert F Pinkney died this morning in the 67th year of his age. At the outbreak of the civil war the deceased was a captain in the United States navy, which he resigned and entered the Confederate service.

New Hampshire Election.

CONCORD, March 14.--Returns in from all towns of the state except 16 show, for governor, Prescott 36,620, McKean 30,570, scattering [illegible] The 16 towns to hear from voted last year for Prescott 900, Marcy 1,180

Hanged.

NASHVILLE, March 14--Rev Brown Coble, colored, was hanged at Winchester at 2 P M to-day, for the murder of Felix Gardiner colored, in June, 1876. Nearly 10 000 people witnessed the execution

A Young Lady Forger.

MEMPHIS, March 14--Miss Mary Hampton, a prominent school teacher in the public schools of this city, was discovered to-day to have forged the names of Superintendent [illegible] and other prominent persons, to the value of $3,500.

Fire.

HELENA, Ark, March 14--A fire to-day destroyed the machine shop of the Central railroad, loss mostly in machinery.

President Hayes to Visit Philadelphia.

PHILADELPHIA, March 14--The President of the United States having accepted an invitation to visit the Commercial Exchange of Philadelphia, at a meeting of the board of managers to-day a committee of arrangements for his reception was appointed

BY ATLANTIC CABLE.

An Old Confederate Cruiser

LONDON, March 14--The Wivern a turret ship built for the southern confederacy but detained by the government and ever since moored in the harbor, has been brought to Devonport dock yards to be prepared for commission.

Kaiser William's Generosity

BERLIN, March 13--Emperor William has granted 75,000 marks in aid of the German art representation at the Paris exposition from funds at his own disposal

Thirty-six Persons Drowned

HAVRE, March 14--Thirty six persons attending a fair here were drowned to-day by the capsizing of a barge

Examination of Polish Churches

ROME, March 14--The pope has charged three prelates to examine the affairs of the church in Poland and propose a solution of pending questions.

The Power of the Pope

ROME, March 14.--A correspondent hears from high authority that the cardinals have declared the pontiff can, under certain reservations, renounce, in the interest of the church material property of the church The opinion has been asked so as to free the pope from being perpetually bound by considerations relative to temporal power

Lunching with Kings

ATHENS, March 14--The king visited and took luncheon with Gen Grant at the American legation to-day The general sailed this evening for Naples

American Registers in Spanish Waters

MADRID March 14--A royal ordinance has been promulgated to the effect that the tonnage indicated in papers of vessels from the United States shall be accepted as correct in Spain and the Spanish colonies

Wishing to Compromise

LONDON March 14--A Berlin dispatch says the pope indirectly expressed a wish for a compromise with Prussia and Germany

WASHINGTON CITY

Senator Gordon's Financial Bill

WASHINGTON, March 13--The bill introduced by Senator Gordon to-day to promote the deposit of savings and refunding the national debt provides for the issue of a new series of United States coupon bonds in denominations of $20 $50 $100 $500 and $1 000 bearing 3 per cent interest payable semi annually the bonds being payable at the option of the United States, either at the end of twenty years, or may then be renewed for a further twenty years payment at either date is to be made in coin of the legal standard In order to facilitate the exchange on demand of these bonds the ten millions treasury notes, made a special fund by a joint resolution of the first session of the 44th congress are to be replaced by a like amount of new issue and made a special fund to secure a prompt exchange for these bonds to which fund shall be added a further sum of $15 000 000 Of this amount, $25,000 000 is to be the maximum to be withheld from circulation so long as there are bonds payable or subject to call, bearing a higher rate of interest than 4 per cent per annum The bonds herein directed to be issued shall state upon their face that they are payable upon demand with secured interest in any legal paper money issued by the U S treasury The secretary of the treasury is required to cease a further reduction of the treasury notes below the sum of $350 000 000 and to replace old worn notes, bearing simply the legend that they are fundable into bonds herein authorized at the option of the holder and receivable for all public and private dues All U S notes received into the treasury under this act except such as are required to keep the bond redemption fund up to $25 000 000, shall be applied exclusively to the payment of any U. S bonds, redeemable at pleasure, or to purchase of coin or bullion to be applied exclusively to the payment of such bonds but new notes shall be substituted for those of previous issues when the latter come into the treasury The coin in the treasury shall be held for the sole purpose of paying coin interest upon the public debt, and if it shall appear to the secretary of the treasury that the present supply of coin is insufficient to meet the coin interest which may become due before the paper money herein authorized becomes exchangeable with coin at par, he shall dispose of such bonds as may be issued under the acts of congress at such time for coin in Europe, or elsewhere if it can be done to greater advantage in quantities sufficient to meet such demand for coin from year to year National banks may hold the bonds herein authorized, and a new issue of greenbacks for their legal reserves in place of all present reserves except coin, and after the passage of this act no tax shall be levied upon deposits in national banks

The Democratic Caucus.

WASHINGTON March 13--The Democratic members of the house held a caucus to day for the purpose of considering the army bill recently completed by the military committee with a view to making the provisions thereof party measures After some discussion a resolution was adopted providing for the appointment of a committee of 13 members with instructions to confer with the military committee on the draft of a bill and report the result

Several Washington specials say the Democratic caucus yesterday on the army appropriation bill was unsatisfactory Only thirty or so were present.

Appointments

WASHINGTON March 14--The president nominated as U S consuls, Thomas M Dawson of California at Apia and G W Rosevelt of Pennsylvania at Auckland postmaster D Slatterlee Dunlap Iowa

New Dollars on the Treasury

Ten thousand new dollars were received at the treasury to day and three thousand paid out for gold

The Appropriations for the Navy.

WASHINGTON, March 14--The navy appropriation bill recently introduced in the house by Representative Clymer appropriates the total sum of $14 048,654 Throughout the bill the specific objects of the appropriation are stated Only $1,000,000 are appropriated for the preservation of vessels on the stocks and in ordinary purchase of material and stores of all kinds labor in navy yard and in foreign stations preservation of materials purchase of tools, wear and tear and repair of vessels afloat, and for the general care and protection of the navy in line on construction and repair incidental expenses namely, advertising and foreign postage

A Texas Pacific Bill.

WASHINGTON, March 14--The senate subcommittee in charge of the various bills concerning transcontinental railway communication on or near the 32d parallel, reported favorable on the Texas project, and submitted to the full committee a copy of the bill agreed upon by the house Pacific railroad committee The full committee began the discussion of the measure, and adjourned until Tuesday next, when final action is expected

The South Carolina Law Breakers.

WASHINGTON, March 14--Collector Brayton at Greenville S. C, telegraphs the commissioner of internal revenue that he has organized a force of 30 men who are now on their way to Pickens county Redmounds with 30 men followed Captain Hoffman's force of eight men all day Tuesday They being powerless to contend with Redmounds gang retreated to Easley awaiting reinforcements Redmounds has ordered citizens at their peril not to furnish food or shelter to the revenue officers Warrants will be procured for the jail breakers and other revenue culprits They will be either be captured or [illegible]

Anderson's Pardon Predicted

CHICAGO, March 14--The Journal's Washington special says P B S Pinchback in a private letter received here to day says Gov Nicholls has determined to take no action in Anderson's case until the courts dispose of it The inference is drawn that Anderson will be pardoned

Bonded Spirits Bill.

WASHINGTON, March 14--The house passed by yeas 118 nays 110 the bill extending to three years time for the withdrawal from bond distilled spirits Saylor moved to reconsider and lay on the table Conger called for the yeas and nays which were ordered and the result was yeas [illegible] nays [illegible]

The Oregon Central

WASHINGTON, March 14--The railroad committee adopted the report of the sub committee in favor of the bill granting three years additional time for the completion of the Oregon Central Railroad and authorized the bill to be reported to the senate for passage

Paying Too Dear for the Whistle

NEW YORK, March 14--The [illegible] Washington special says the president will send a message to congress advising the purchase of [illegible] at the same time declaring that the privileges seem incommensurate with it

How to Homestead Lands

The secretary of the interior has decided that pre-emption filing is not absolutely required in making homestead entries and that it may be [illegible] dispensed with in making final proof thereof This ruling will save settlers [illegible] expense

DEPREDATIONS ON TIMBER LANDS

The Department Arraigned

[illegible]

WASHINGTON March 14--The senate public land committee have made a very strong and interesting report recommending the passage of a bill to authorize citizens of California Nevada and Colorado and all the territories to take timber from mineral lands for mining, domestic purposes The provisions of this bill were telegraphed last Monday when representative Wren introduced in the house a copy of this bill as agreed upon by the senate committee The committee in their written report argue that a distinction should be made between such trees as grow upon the mountains in mineral districts and the forests of pine oak and other timber that grows on more level portions of the country They say while the lumber of the latter is regular and an important article of commerce and is constantly being cut and transported in large quantities to ready markets, the character of the former renders the timber unfit for commercial purposes Even were this otherwise it is usually found in such inaccessible places as to preclude its transportation to market consequently it is used by prospectors, miners and other members of mining communities for domestic and other practical purposes incidental to a development of mineral districts The committee do not believe that it would be wise policy on the part of the government to seek to profit directly by the sale of this kind of timber nor tax the pioneer by compelling him to purchase it Except as a source of revenue by sale to the settler, it never can be of any value to the government Should the experiment be tried of requiring payment for it it would be found that the cost of keeping agents for its sale and officers to prevent or punish infractions of the law at remote and widely separated settlements would largely consume all sums received for this timber by the government Thus when it is practically of but little value to the government it is essential to the settler and indispensable to his occupation and development of mineral lands It has been the custom of congress to encourage exploration and development of mineral regions of the United States and in this connection it should be borne in mind that it is mainly to the indefatigable energy, hardihood and bearing of the pioneer that we are indebted for the discovery and for the development of the rich gold and silver districts of the country What would be the condition of this country to day had it not been for our product of gold and silver during the last quarter of a century? The one hundred million dollars annually added by the United States to the world's stock of bullion will amply pay for the use of the scattering timber found in those localities Instead of imposing this timber as a tax upon this important branch of industry the committee are of the opinion that under the restrictions provided in this bill and on the grounds of equity and public policy the government should allow its free use by actual settlers for the purposes alluded to herein The report next quotes the first section of the mining act of 1866 by which congress authorized the occupation and use of mineral lands and proceeds as follows

This is an express grant by the government of the people who occupy this portion of the public domain There was no law by which settlers could purchase either the timber necessary for such occupation or the land upon which that timber is found It is a well settled principle applied to grants that the grant carries with it all incidents necessary to enable the grantee to make the grant available It is absolutely necessary for settlers to have timber for domestic use in order to enable them to occupy these mineral lands, and it would have been a mockery to make this grant without including such use of timber It cannot be said that it was ever intended that the occupants should pay for this timber since no provision has ever been made for its sale or purchase The government is more than paid for its value by the increased wealth added by mining operations to the grand total of taxable property In view of these considerations the committee recommend the passage of the accompanying bill

Its last section prescribes a fine not exceeding $500 to which may be added imprisonment of six months for violation of its provisions or of any rules and regulations which may be made by the secretary of the interior in pursuance thereof

Caustic Reply from Secretary Schurz.

WASHINGTON March 14--Secretary Schurz being asked what he thought of yesterday's debate in the senate upon the prosecution of timber depredators in Montana said Some senators attacked the interior department for doing a thing it has not done and scarcely men found a thing it has really done. We are arraigned for having prosecuted settlers and miners who wanted a little wood and timber for their stores and mines while we really had only prosecuted speculators who had depredated upon the public lands on a large scale for the sake of personal profit Under instructions of this department not a settler nor a miner has been touched except where persons had cut timber under fraudulent pre-emption or homestead claims When these speculators obtained from $5 to $6 per cord for wood and from $50 to $60 per thousand feet for manufactured lumber which they had taken from the public lands they could afford to pay the government at least a small part of their profit, as people in other parts of the country have to do As to depopulating the territory, there are no signs of that either in Montana or any other territory in consequence of the action of the interior department but it is a notorious fact that the consumption of timber which persons take for nothing from the public lands will be indefinitely more wasteful than if they had to pay for it In this way mountain sides in these territories will very soon be stripped of their forests, and if the forests once be destroyed the mountain sides will be bare forever If that goes on in the present wasteful manner only a short period longer, then these territories will in part become uninhabitable and depopulated especially the valleys which depend upon a regular supply of water If the consumption of timber can be reduced to the actual necessities of the people by the action of the government and the waste now going on prevented, the territories instead of being depopulated will be protected against the most disastrous consequences, which otherwise must necessarily ensue I notice our method of doing this has been called un American I never thought it was un American to prevent stealing or to enforce the laws We are bound to execute laws as they are as well as we can If the laws are not as they should be, it is the business of congress to make them The operations of the department for the prevention of timber devastation apply only in very limited extent to the territories The principal field of operations is in the timber states such as Minnesota Michigan Wisconsin Florida, Louisiana, Mississippi and others

Schurz being asked whether he had made a speech while in the senate on the melity system denouncing spies in the revenue service said So far as he could remember he had not uttered a word in that debate nor in any other about spies Those who were called spies in the employ of the interior department were simply agents, who were sent out to discover what depredations had been committed and who committed them and if the department wanted to know anything about matters these agents had to be called on for information, as the depredators had not been in the habit of reporting themselves.

POLITICAL POINTS

We are told that Hon Hiram Smith of Harrisburg will be a candidate for state treasurer before the Republican convention next month He would make a faithful official

A letter from Butte creek, Clackamas county states that Mr [illegible] greenback advocate was there a few days ago arguing for paper inflation and predicting that this issue would carry the presidential election

The Salem [illegible] Greenback and Independent [illegible] urges an understanding between the committees of its party and of the Democrats so that the two state conventions may meet on the same day and at the same place [illegible]

The [illegible] the Na[illegible] party [illegible] Democrats [illegible] W A Hen[illegible] H H [illegible] county commissioner [illegible] V B Butler surveyor [illegible] J W Robertson

THE EASTERN QUESTION.

The English Fleet in Turkish Waters

LONDON March 14--The Standard announces officially that the British squadron in the Mediterranean is now at Besika Bay and will advance to the Dardanelles so as to be nearer Admiral Commerell, who commands at Gallipoli Admiral Commerell's squadron thus becomes more powerful than Admiral Hornby's and will form a reliable reserve

Will not Stand the Treaty

A special from Vienna says the Roumanian agent will hand Count Andrassy a memorandum to-morrow intimating that Roumania refuses to be bound by the Russo Turkish peace preliminaries

Who shall be in the Congress

PARIS March 14--It is reported that Prince Gortchakoff has intimated that if Greece is represented in the congress Servia and Montenegro must be admitted

England will Unite in the Congress

LONDON March 14 In the house of commons this afternoon Stafford Northcote in reply to a question said the government has agreed to take part in the congress

LONDON, March 14--England will maintain her views in congress and will require before entering it that every article of the treaty of peace shall be placed before congress in such a manner that congress can judge whether the articles are to be accepted or not.

Turks still Raiding the Christians.

LONDON March 13 Hobart Pasha has been ordered to sail for the coast of Thessaly The Turks have devastated eight Christian villages in Crete and massacred many people

Thessalian insurgents claim to have defeated the Turks with a loss of 400 Accounts are conflicting

Day of Meeting of the Congress.

VIENNA March 14--Russia has intimated her desire that the congress meet March 30th the 22d anniversary of the signature of the treaty of Paris The Austrian government firmly anticipates that the congress will assemble on that day

The Question to be Considered.

BERLIN March 14--The Anglo Austrian demand that the whole of the Russo Turkish agreement shall be submitted to the congress arises from the belief that special and secret arrangements have been entered into independent of the principal treaty

The Russian Press on England's Position in regard to the Treaty and the Conquest.

ST PETERSBURG March 14--The Agence Russe commenting on a Berlin dispatch intimating that secret arrangements had been made between Russia and Turkey says Russia is not so confiding as to conclude secret clauses with Turkey when she knows that the slightest transactions are communicated to Minister Layard In regard to England's claim of right to examine the whole treaty at the congress and to withdraw from meeting in certain contingencies the Agence points out that every power will enter the congress with full liberty as to the attitude it may assume relative to claims brought forward and decisions arrived at

The New Russian Loan.

Subscriptions for the new issue of the 50 000,000 roubles in treasury bonds were opened here Wednesday It is officially stated that the whole amount was immediately subscribed

Recruits Ordered to the Front.

CONSTANTINOPLE March 14--The provincial governors have been ordered to send here promptly both the old and newly enlisted recruits

Bosnia wants no more Turks

BELGRADE March 14--The reported proposal that 40,000 Turks to be released from captivity in Russia shall be sent to Bosnia is causing great excitement here

Army Disbanded.

A great part of the Servian army of Timoke has been disbanded

Doings of the British Parliament

LONDON, March 14--In the house of lords to night the territorial waters war jurisdiction bill passed to a third reading

In the house of commons Burk replied to an inquiry that the government still thought in view of the case of breaking off diplomatic relations with Mexico the initiative for their renewal could not come from England

Austria's War Budget.

VIENNA March 14--To-day commenced the discussion of the 60,000 000 vote of credit Count Andrassy stated that 60 000 000 was the maximum amount that would be required The committee rejected the demand of the war minister of 617 000 florins for military stores

Position of the Powers in Regard to the Congress

LONDON March 14--A Vienna correspondent says Russia does no contest the right of the congress to decide what clauses of the treaty involve European interests England demands that the congress shall have power to discuss all the clauses Neither power seems disposed to give way Thus, unless a compromise is arranged, fresh difficulties and not a formal one merely may arise causing delay if nothing worse Italy and Germany, while assenting in principle to the admission of Greece to the congress thinks the congress should formally decide the matter Austria coincides, but is willing to have the matter decided before the meeting if the question of the admission of vassal states is not thereby prejudiced

A Paris correspondent reports that Servia has formally claimed admission to the congress

It is now certain that England has unreservedly adhered to the French proposal for investigation into the financial affairs of Egypt and administrative reforms Nobody will oppose England's freeing Egypt from vassalage if she acts in accord with the powers

Strengthening her Fleet.

LONDON March 14--The Standard announces that the admiralty has ordered all outward bound men of war to be detained to strengthen the Mediterranean fleet.

England, not Lyons, Responsible.

LONDON March 15--In the house of commons last night Sir Robt Peel objected to Lord Lyons representing England in the congress because his opinions were opposed to those of Layard and Sir Henry Elliott, Sir Stafford Northcote replied that the government and not Lord Lyons was responsible for England's course at the congress

Bearers of the Treaty.

A special from St Petersburg announces the arrival there of Gen Ignatieff and Raouf Pasha

Appalling Distress in Washington

(Letter of Grace Greenwood to N Y Times)

Matters cannot be much worse than they are now with [illegible] the outlook and outlet [illegible] the District the financial distress [illegible] appalling Scores of families of [illegible] circumstances of [illegible] are [illegible] want of the [illegible] in the department [illegible] the great [illegible]

[illegible] speak up of the each the other [illegible] with the name [illegible]

PACIFIC COAST NEWS.

CALIFORNIA

Duncan-Merrill

SAN FRANCISCO March 14--The case of [illegible] Merrill and G W Jenks charged with felony in aiding and harboring J C Duncan in his attempt to escape from the city on board the schooner [illegible] was called in the police court this afternoon Mr Highton, for the prosecution being indisposed there was some discussion as to whether Mr McAllister for the defense should continue argument or the case go over until to morrow At last the prosecution stated that it was willing to submit the case without further argument and this being agreed to by the defense the court held the accused to answer having bail at $5000 in each case

Libel Suit among the Agitators.

Carl Brown Thomas Donelly, William Wilcock and A Stout were arrested on a charge of libel this afternoon made by B F French who alleges that in a recent issue of the Open Letter controlled by defendants he was styled a seducer of little children A warrant was also issued for Kearney which will be served on him on his return

Belcher Assessed

Belcher levies an assessment of $1 delinquent in the board April 11th and in the office two days later

Set for Hearing.

EUREKA March 14--The application for an injunction in the new case of the Richmond vs Eureka Con is set for hearing next Monday before U S District Judge Hillyer at Carson

NEVADA

Mining Litigation

EUREKA NEV March 14--Unexpectedly recent rumors of more litigation between Eureka Con and Richmond turn out to be true The Richmond in this instance is plaintiff Necessary legal proceedings have been commenced and an injunction against Eureka is to be applied for immediately It is a general belief that the court will grant an order restraining Eureka from further extracting ore at the point in dispute the same being the 10th level of the Eureka Con mine Papers were served this morning on Superintendent Donnelly by Under Sheriff Nelson Attorneys will be mainly the same as before The ore in controversy is within the lines of Eureka's claim as determined by a late decision of Judge Field but Richmond having appealed from that decision the U S supreme court holds that the ground cannot be worked by either party until final decision is had In fact it appears that by order of Judge Field Potts' chamber and the contiguous ground was made to bide the final decision of the supreme court If these premises are properly laid it is quite likely Richmond will obtain an injunction against Eureka There is hardly a doubt that Eureka will ultimately name the ground, but the case may be kept in the supreme court for a year The only immediate effect of the present proceedings will be to interfere with the ore supply of Eu Con The 10th level has been yielding the largest part of the ore necessary to keep the furnaces in full blast It is at this point where the rich lead ores for smelting during the past few months were obtained The general impression here is that other portions of the mine will yield a sufficient quantity of ore to render stoppages of furnaces unnecessary There are some persons of course who think differently Whether this new and totally unexpected phase of litigation between these two leading companies shall operate and interrupt the regular monthly dividends of Eu Con remains to be seen

SAN FRANCISCO STOCK EXCHANGE.

SAN FRANCISCO March 14

Alta--30 shs $4 15 10 4 25 500 4 10 350 4
Alpha--90 shs $9 50 30 9 75
Andes--150 shs 6 c 85 6 5
Belcher--10 shs $3 70; 100 3 65 630 3¼ 120 3 35 210 3 60
Best & Belcher--195 shs $21½ 105 21¼ 13 21
Bullion--1405 shs $5 15 5⅛
Benton--750 shs 60c
Cala--880 shs $32, 495 31¾ 375 32 b
Con Imperial--115 shs 75c 310 60
Crown Point--170 shs $5 37½ 235 5 50 30 5 [illegible]
Chollar--75 shs $51
Con Va--345 shs $21¾; 745 21⅝ 100 2 b 30 100 22
Challenge--50 shs $1
Caledonia--[illegible] shs $2 25
Dayton--200 shs 15c 410 20
Exchequer--445 shs $3 40 50 3 4
G & C--130 shs $8 [illegible] 430 8 25
H & N--60 shs $9 110 8⅞ 50 8¾ [illegible]
Justice--380 shs $7 10 [illegible]
Julia--155 shs $2 [illegible] 430 2 [illegible]
Kentuck--60 shs $3¼
Mexican--350 shs $ 3½ 210 13½ 60 1 [illegible] 30 1 [illegible] 400 13 5 11½ 50 13¼ 650 11¼
Monumental--400 shs $5
New York--500 shs $1 10
N Con Va--100 shs 65c
Ophir--645 shs $48 165 48½ 50 48½ 200 45½ 1040 45 825 46 140 44½ 50 45½ 100 44½ 410 46¼ 111 46¼
Overman--255 shs $15 150 14¾
Sierra Nevada--50 shs $4 90 3 90 20 3 85, 210 3 80, 180 3 75
Succor--325 shs $1½ 100 2 b [illegible]
Silver Hill--100 shs 6 [illegible] 0 1 [illegible]
Savage--35 shs $9 87½ 610 10 135 9⅝
Solid Silver--600 shs 35¼
St Louis--310 shs 35c
Senator--490 shs $3 300 3 [illegible]
Trojan--250 shs 40c
Utah--60 shs $11
Woodville--100 shs 55c
Wells Fargo--1000 shs 10c
Ward--300 shs 90c 240 95 300 85
Yellow Jacket--90 shs $9¾ 50 $9

AFTERNOON SALES

Alta--1380 shs $3¾ 900 3 [illegible] 3 40 200 3 35
Argenta--1350 shs 45c
Belle Isle--450 shs 55c
Bechtel--100 shs $4¼ 290 4¼
Bodie--1100 shs $1
Best & Belcher--100 shs $19 30 19 [illegible] 80 19½ 100 19¼ s 60 215 18¼ 50 18¾
California--790 shs $29 400 29¼ 30 29½ 360 29¾ s 30 [illegible] 29¼ b
Con Va--70 shs $20 [illegible] 13 [illegible] 110 19 7¼ 705 19 30 19¾ 875 19¾ 100 19¼ s 30
Chollar--85 shs $50
Day--350 shs 1 10 45 1 1
Defrees--600 shs 35c 100 30
Eldorado South--100 shs 35c
Eureka Con--165 shs $[illegible] 30 [illegible] 100 [illegible] b 40 [illegible] s 10
Exchequer--370 shs 3
Gila--[illegible] shs 50c 100
Grand Prize--15 shs $[illegible] 485 6 56½ 100 6 7[illegible] s 1 [illegible] 6[illegible]
Hamburg--200 shs 3 40 500 3 [illegible] 30 3 [illegible]
Hussey--100 shs $1 100 10c 100 99
Hornet--500 shs 15c
Independence--1,596 shs 90c
Justice--[illegible] shs $5 370 4 75 100 [illegible] 50 25 100 4 7 b 5
Leopard--100 shs 7 c 40 85
Leeds--450 shs $1 75
Modoc--30 shs 60c 200 [illegible]
Manhattan--100 shs $10¼
Mexican--200 shs $12[illegible] 1 030 11 [illegible] 61 12 [illegible] 12 [illegible]
Northern Belle--100 shs $9 [illegible]
Navajo--850 shs $2 1000 b 60 500 1 9[illegible]
Ophir--305 shs $35½ 40 35¼ 130 35 200 35 s 190 130 3[illegible] 30 34 330 1¾ 30 34 [illegible] 190 34¾
Overman--10 shs $13 110 13⅛ 130 14
Raymond & Ely--300 shs $4
Star--150 shs $1 60
Silver Prize--100 shs 50c 100 40 1 100
Tiptop--130 shs $3½
Young America--1,510 shs 50c 800 [illegible]
Yellow Jacket--280 shs $5[illegible] 700 9

THE TERRITORIES

The Port Blakely mill with its new machinery will cut 150 000 feet of lumber in twelve hours

The Democrats of Island county have nominated [illegible] delegate to the Washington territorial convention

On Monday [illegible] the district court for the counties of [illegible] Skamania and Klickitat will [illegible]

The effect of reducing the price of coal at the Seattle [illegible] has been to increase the consumption perceptibly At five dollars the present price it is slightly cheaper than wood

The third term of the Washington territorial university under direction of Prof Anderson has begun The first term of the school year opened with 40 scholars the second with 56 and the third with 72

Frank Cooper has been awarded the contract of digging [illegible] rods of trench in which to lay the pipes for mains of W. C Griswold's water works in Salem

AGAINST SHAM MONEY

AN EARNEST DEMOCRATIC PROTEST--WORDS TO MAKE INFLATIONISTS AND REPUDIATORS EARS TINGLE

SALEM Or, March 9 1878

TO THE EDITOR OF THE OREGONIAN

Once upon a time three London tailors met in Tooley street and passed certain resolutions in the name of We the People of England The assumption of those sturdy British bodkin wielders was surpassed the other day at Dallas in Polk county when our distinguished fellow citizen of Marion, Hon Ben Hayden went over to Polk and provided a greenback inflation and repudiation platform for the Democracy of that county to stand upon in the coming election

It will be recollected that in the election two years ago Mr Hayden was a candidate in Polk for the state senate, and that he was defeated being shamefully repudiated by many of the sturdiest and best of the party. It is thought now that he has retaliated upon those old Democratic liners for withholding their votes from him by committing them to an anti-Democratic platform calculated to make them sharers in his humiliation of two years ago

Mr Hayden has never been regarded as a safe party leader, on account of his exact information upon any subject On the contrary, he is looked upon in the Democratic ranks as a rather loose reckless, blatherskiting sort of a declaimer I am willing to accord to him more of ignorance than of spite in his late efforts at platform making The first resolution, pledging the party to honesty, is a trifle hackneyed and might have been made stronger and more practical by a direct condemnation of the school fund and other robberies coupled with a direct repudiation of our state plunderers Such a resolution would have given the tax payers an honest pledge of reformation of more value to them than all the irredeemable rag money ever issued by the continental congress Mr Hayden's platform contains twelve resolutions, eight of which are devoted to rag money, inflation and repudiation, while not a word is said about the burdens of our state affairs, including our great unconstitutional debt, enormous taxation, insane asylum and penitentiary robberies, school fund plundering, double salary drawing and general maladministration Those evils seem to be unworthy of the consideration of the far seeing statesman and county platform builder The people, however, are reflecting upon those wrongs, and will cast lots of ballots for their correction

One, to read the Polk county platform would suppose that the whole interests of the county, and of the state, centered in rag money inflation as though they had not had enough of it during the war Even the resumption pledge of the nation to honestly pay its debts in coin in 1879 is denounced as disastrous to every interest of the country Ye gods! What chunks of wisdom! Shades of Jefferson, Gen Jackson and Tom Benton, hunt up the departed spirits of John Law, the South Sea bubble, Nic Biddle, the old United States Bank, and the whole host of departed and worthless shinplasters and apologize for the wrongs you ignorantly did them in your vain efforts to establish a hard money currency for your country

Such Democracy as is promulgated in Mr. Hayden's resolutions was never heard of before except amid the wild rantings of the Paris Commune or in the dreams of some cracked-brained enthusiast who proposes to "give everything to everybody" Has history taught us nothing? Have we forgotten that in our own revolution we had three hundred millions of "legal tender" of continental paper money in circulation, not one dollar of which was ever redeemed? It depreciated and depreciated, languished, and died in the hands of the honest laborer and patriotic soldier, until want and gaunt famine stood guard by his humble door. France, in her revolutionary struggle, issued fifteen hundred millions of her assignats, for a time they were used for gun wadding in the streets of Paris, and subsequently to paper the walls of the peasants' cabins. The French republic and its paper sank together in a common grave Napoleon, who was a statesman and financier as well as a general, brought order and stability out of the great national wreck On the 20th of October, 1805, from the field of Ney's victory that gave him the title of Duke of Elchingen, the day after the congratulation of Ulm, when engaged in the campaigns against the coalitions of Russia, Austria and England Napoleon wrote as follows

ELCHINGEN, Oct. 20 1805

M REGNIER I am sorry to see that my tribunal of commerce does not attend to its business. Bank notes are not money, and do not bear the mark of the sovereign Payment in notes is no longer an obligation In a country where justice is compromised, social order no longer exists The bank must exchange its notes for coin at the counter or close its doors if it has no coin I will not have paper money

NAPOLEON

The above sententious note sounds like it might have been written by "Old Hickory" to Nick Biddle. The history and traditions of the Democratic party in the United States is the history of a protracted, and sometimes doubtful struggle for hard money and financial honesty against all kinds of irredeemable shinplasters, reckless inflations and dishonest repudiation If the Polk county platform is to be the basis of a political organization in this state, call the bantling by some other name than that which describes the politics of Jefferson and Jackson Let me quote one short sentence from each of the two great founders of the Democratic party to illustrate their contempt for Mr. Hayden's illegitimate spawn

Mr Jefferson said, "Jugglers only propose to create capital by the legerdemain tricks of paper money"

Jackson said, "Give the people an honest government, freedom from monopolies and privileged classes and hard money, not paper and all will be well."

Every National Democratic convention has declared for hard money The three living nominees of that party for the presidency adhere to that faith to day Nearly every Democratic member of congress voted against the legal tender clause, and subsequently voted thanks to Secretary McCullough for contracting the currency Nearly every Democrat in the land denounced the legal tender act as unconstitutional and the supreme court of the United States was only restrained from so deciding it by the act of President Grant in packing two new judges upon the bench The echoes of Democratic denunciation for Grant's packing the court still resound in our ears With all this Democratic record with all this history and sacred tradition staring us in the face, are we as Democrats now to be required to ignore all of our preconceived opinions upon finance and compelled to eat bushels of the greenback dirt of expediency? I think that there will be honest protesting, and I trust that there will be sufficient of it in the state convention to save the party from ruin and disgrace. If there is not it will never be necessary to hold another Democratic convention in Oregon Contrast the following plank from the Oregon State Democratic platform of two years ago with Mr Hayden's resolutions and tell me what has become of Democratic consistency

That the precious metals are the only safe basis of commercial values that an irredeemable paper currency is a national curse and we insist upon a speedy return by the general government to specie payments

Some of the Democratic papers warmly endorsed Mr Hayden's platform but I was glad to observe that the endorsement was practically withdrawn after they had learned that greenbacks were not subject to taxation

BULLION

Weston means business A company has been formed articles of incorporation filed and capital stock placed at $14 000 of $50 shares each for the purpose of building a steam flouring mill

Monumental tunnel says the Grant county Times, is now in [illegible] feet and will soon strike the ledge.

CONGRESSIONAL.

Senate.

WASHINGTON March 14.

A number of pension bills were passed during the morning hour among them one granting $50 a month to the widow of Rear Admiral Chas Wilkes.

Voorhees introduced a bill providing for the payment of all customs duties and all other department dues in U S legal tender notes at par except in cases where it is otherwise expressly stipulated on the face of the obligation or contract Referred

The bill granting a pension to Commodore Wm. B Whiting of the navy was called up

Sargent opposed its passage saying it was the first instance of an attempt to give a pension to a person already receiving $2,000 a year on the retired list of the navy and rendering no service therefor

Pending discussion the morning hour passed and the bill was laid aside.

Mitchell submitted a resolution calling upon the secretary of the treasury for a copy of the report of J T Evans relative to claims of laborers and men who furnished material arising out of the construction of the revenue cutter Corwin, recently built at Albina, Oregon, together with such recommendations as he may deem advisable in reference to the payment of such claims, agreed to.

The consular and diplomatic appropriation bill was then received from the house of representatives and referred to committee on appropriations.

The vice president announced his signature to house bill for relief of Wm. A. Hammond, late surgeon general of the army It now goes to the president for his signature.

Consideration was resumed of unfinished business, being the bill in regard to the Pacific railroad sinking fund and Matthews spoke in favor of the bill reported by the committee on railroads

Matthews explained the bill reported by the railroad committee It did not embody the propositions urged by the railroad companies but was based on the consent of the parties contracting It differed from the judiciary committee's bill in that it proposed to alter a contract by a contract, while the other was merely an act of power and nothing else. It would put an end to legislation and make a final settlement, which the other judiciary bill did not pretend to do It allowed six per cent, while the judiciary bill allowed five on the accumulation of the sinking fund.

He argued that the bill of the judiciary committee instead of collecting a sinking fund for the sole and exclusive use of the government in order to extinguish the claim of the United States against these companies, carefully collected a sinking fund in respect to which the United States would have no lien whatever, except subject to the prior lien of the first mortgage bondholder of the road. The amount of money required for the sinking fund must be paid by passengers and those doing business over these roads, It was a tax levied by congress upon the commerce of the country, transported over three roads Suppose the tax be made burdensome, the companies must increase their charges. Would that be good policy? Would it be for the good of the public or benefit of the government? The bill of the judiciary committee was an invasion of the rights of property and contract He quoted from many legal authorities in support of his views. The bill of the judiciary committee declared what the net earnings of the railroads should be. Congress had no more right to declare what should be the net earnings than it had to confiscate them

Pending discussion, Gordon, by request, introduced a bill to authorize the construction of a narrow gauge railroad from Bismarck to the Black Hills; referred

Christiancy took the floor to speak on Monday on the sinking fund, and the senate adjourned until that day.

House.

Hardenburgh introduced a bill regulating the reserve fund of national banks. The bill authorizes such banks to dispose of their reserve fund and invest the same in U. S. bonds, which bonds shall constitute a reserve fund of such association; referred

Durham, from committee on expenditures in the department of justice, reported a bill limiting to $3,500 the compensation of clerks of district and circuit courts when one person holds both offices; passed

Sensible Observations on the Railroad Question.

[From the Portland Standard.]

It appears to us that our citizens are becoming unnecessarily alarmed on the railroad subject The only question now seems to be as to whether the Northern Pacific shall be forced to commence building at Portland or at some point near the mouth of Snake river. This proposition is purely local, and one which Portland cannot afford to take. We must be more cosmopolitan, and aid all parts which are calculated to add to our resources. * * What we want is to control the trade which will naturally center here in the event of a railroad being constructed * * But we do not see that it matters whether the company commences the construction of the road on the Snake river or at Portland. Of course it would make business for the time being a little better, from the fact that the men who would be employed on the road would spend their earnings in this city, and so far we should be benefited But it would add no permanent wealth until the road reaches some place where there is a producing country, and as the working men go away from here the times would become dull again, and the imaginary high values would have a fall. If the road is commenced at the Snake river, and the prospects are favorable for a road down the Columbia after the eastern connection is made, we shall receive the business from that section, and a rich country developed and our increased wealth will have a permanent foundation to go upon, and when the road did reach here it would find a city of about 40,000 to 50,000 population, ready and able to control the business which it brings to us We see no good reason to object to the commencement of this project at any given point.

An order has been received at Camp Harney, lately, directing the post commander to remove from the Malheur reservation all the cattle now grazing upon it. The white population is also politely requested to keep away from the sacred hunting grounds of the Snakes.

A correspondent of the Salem Record says there are over 1,000 Chinese at work for farmers in Marion county They don't mind the "mists."

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The Daily Oregonian.

FRIDAY MORNING, MARCH 15 1878.

HOW THEY DID IT.

South Carolina was indeed grievously vexed with the rule of the carpet-bagger and our colored brethren in politics. In a small way it was a pattern of the Tweed business in New York. And it was not a very small way either. The report of the joint committee appointed by the legislature of the state a year ago to look into the doings of the ten years preceding shows some rather interesting discoveries. Much of the testimony is obtained from ex-officials who were connected with the delinquent administrations. There is undoubted proof that members of several legislatures were guilty recipients of articles paid for by the state on the warrants of officials charged with the sworn duty of protecting the public interests. The colored gentleman entered with edifying aptitude with his white brother into this field and science of politics, and showed himself fully equal to the requirements of an improved civilization. In one session alone there was expended the great sum of $350,000 under the head of "supplies, sundries and incidental expenses," of which $125,000 was spent for "refreshments." It is fair to say that members of both parties shared alike in this plunder. Greed and dishonesty did not stop at party lines. A special room was fitted up in the state house for dispensation of these "refreshments," and large quantities of the articles that passed under this description were sent to the private rooms of legislators. For one day the liquor bill of a single dealer was $1,631, and three days later he had a bill for $1,852 more. Of course the most extravagant prices were charged and the plunder was divided. Twenty dollars a gallon was allowed for brandy, and all other "refreshments" in proportion. In one year over $200,000 was paid for furniture ostensibly for the state house and as such paid for by the state. But dealers testified that they furnished many private rooms and dwellings, and supplied all the committee room with the most costly furniture, which was stolen as soon as the sessions closed. As if this method were not enough, the bills in many instances were more than doubled and certificates issued for the same. During one session the bill for "stationery" was $08,-000. Each member got a Webster's dictionary, though half of them had not learning enough to find a word in the book. There were inkstands costing $25 each; gold pens all round at $10 each; and jewelry, clocks, watches, dry goods, sun-umbrellas, hair-brushes, perfumery, horses and carriages, Westphalia hams, cradles and coffins. Among articles of feminine attire charged to "supplies" or "stationery" are bustles, extra long stockings, chignons, palpitators, boulevard skirts and parasols. The developments have a ludicrous side not furnished hitherto in disclosures of this kind. It is stated that the investigation is not finished, and that another branch of it will show equally rich results. A million was probably squandered in these ways. But this was simply the petty plunder. The great jobs of legislation were wholly outside of these transactions.

EARTHQUAKE WAVES.

It seems from the proofs furnished through the report to the board of trade on the disasters at the mouth of the Columbia river on the 28th December last to be a well attested fact that unusual vibrations of marine surface occurred just at that time. It is quite within possibility that they were earthquake waves; though the proof on this point is not sufficiently definite to establish fully the fact. It is well known that earthquakes propagate waves which traverse oceanic spaces of vast extent with a velocity that exceeds any other great movement on the surface of the globe with which we are acquainted. If the great undulations observed at the mouth of the Columbia and at points both north and south of there on the day of the disaster were a consequence, as the committee conjecture, of earthquake shocks announced about that time as having been felt severely on the coast of Peru, the arrival of the waves at the bar just as the vessels were passing out would be a singular happening, but still altogether possible. Experience proves that coincidences deemed most improbable nevertheless do sometimes occur. A fact is recalled which had escaped our recollection, namely, that the great wave which followed the disastrous earthquake on the coast of Peru in 1868, was distinctly felt at the mouth of the Columbia.

Similar effects have long been noticed and carefully recorded. In the terrible earthquake of December 23, 1854, which destroyed several towns on the Japanese coasts and did immense damage at Yeddo, the wave was propagated across the Pacific, traversing a distance of 6,842 miles in twelve hours and a few minutes; and Prof. Bache was able to calculate in consequence the depths of ocean across which the wave was driven. The wave travels with a velocity depending on the depth of water. When the breadth of a wave is great in comparison with the depth of water, the velocity of its progress is equal to that which a heavy body would acquire in falling by gravity through half the depth of liquid. For example when the depth of water is 25 feet, the velocity of such wave is 19 miles an hour; when 100 feet, 39 miles; when 1,000 feet, 122 miles; when 20,000 feet, 547 miles, and when 50,000 feet, 865 miles. The great depth of the Pacific ocean gives a velocity to the wave almost equal to the largest figure here stated.

NOT MUCH LONGER TO RUN.

The time grows short. This industry will continue but a few weeks longer. The first Monday of June is not distant. After that, those who have been so vigorously raising a dust over this railroad question will cease from troubling. The effort was started and has been pursued for the purpose of producing an impression on the election. Something like it was actually necessary to the fortunes of those to whom the senatorial succession is a vital interest. This was seized as the best thing that offered. It has befogged and misled some who ought to have known better; but they are recovering their sight. They gradually begin to perceive that the whole thing is a farce, enacted for political effect. The players of the game do not expect to help the country to a railroad. But they had no ground to stand on, and nothing to make a noise about for an election that greatly concerns them; and it became important to make the country believe that a railroad could be secured only through the Mitchell programme. It was undertaken too soon. The bottom has fallen out of it. Even those who did not at first perceive that it was a blind, are making the discovery now.

Everybody now understands that whatever course it may be necessary to pursue to obtain a railroad, such result never can be reached through these contrived clap-traps. Congress will pass no buncombe bill. The committees will not take such action as would plainly make a farce of legislation. It is impossible, therefore, for Mr. Mitchell to get a report from the committee of which he is chairman, though he has made special effort in that behalf. The failure is rendered still more striking by the fact that a favorable report has been obtained for extension of the Oregon Central branch to Astoria. But, since the election is soon to pass by, this play has not much longer to run. In the language of the boards, it must soon be withdrawn to make room for new attractions.

Silver dollars are now selling in Wall street as "tokens" at a slight premium. But curiosity supplies a motive which in a matter of this sort cannot be permanent, and the ultimate cheapening of the silver dollar is as certain as the laws of trade can make it. By discovery of new mines and use of new and powerful machinery the production of silver has been enormously increased, and the cost of producing it has been reduced correspondingly. Under these conditions a reduction of the value of silver in the world's market is as inevitable as the decline of eggs on the approach of spring when laying season begins. The bullion value of a gold dollar is 100 cents; of a silver dollar, 92 cents. Nothing holds up the value of the silver dollar but its present scarcity. So soon as the mint shall have furnished a supply the controlling law will fix its value on the basis of silver bullion. The law of gravity never can be set aside. For a time it may be apparently superseded by a greater force, but as that force becomes exhausted or is withdrawn the law never forgets or omits to assert itself.

It begins to look as if the people never would be able to rescue this government from the grasping avarice of the plutocrats. After a hard struggle of many months the silver bill was passed, and relief was looked for at last. But the very first silver dollars coined, instead of being sent out among poor people in remote parts of the country, who are actually suffering for them, appear in Wall street to swell the coffers of bloated wealth. In the fatness of these pursy times the sacred dollar of the fathers, which was to be restored to the people, becomes only a bauble for loathsome capitalists to play with.

The *Standard* has reached the conclusion that the proposition for "the Dalles and Salt Lake was a blind." An eminently correct conclusion, and we are glad our neighbor has reached it. We are not disposed to twit that paper with being slow of perception on this subject, because there are some who haven't got their eyes open even yet. But all will see it presently just as THE OREGONIAN has seen it from the 9th of November last, the very day when the "forked" bill was first introduced. Senator Mitchell has not, and cannot have, the slightest expectation of accomplishing anything through his bill. The proposition is put right in the place where it blocks the way to the only result possible. And it is plainly the intention to keep it there. Referring again to the *Standard*, we may observe that it has been presenting recently some very judicious remarks on the railway situation. A few extracts appear elsewhere in our columns.

During the packing season Chicago has cut up 2,470,000 hogs, which number exceeds by about 500,000 the total cut up in Cincinnati, St. Louis, Indianapolis, Louisville and Milwaukee. And Chicago proudly boasts through her press of being the "hog city."

Charles White, mail carrier on the Canyon City and Scott's route, got lost in the mountains recently between Scott's and Monument and wandered about for two days and nights in the snow, without food. His animal finally brought him out to his starting place all right. Both horse and rider were nearly famished.

The city election for three councilmen, recorder, treasurer and marshal, for the town of La Grande, resulted in the election of D. Chaplin, W. J. Snodgrass and L. Baer for councilmen; McWhirter for recorder; J. D. Reed for treasurer, and P. A. Mohaffey for marshal.

Fishing off the docks for tomcod is now the chief occupation of Chinese at Tacoma.

DIED.

Near Boon's ferry, Feb. 27, Henrietta, wife of James Whitmore and daughter of A. and S. Seely.

NEW TO-DAY.

WANTED.

BY A YOUNG LADY, SEWING IN FAMILIES by the day or week. Apply at No. 2 Park Row, Washington street, bet. East and West Park. mh15d8t

WANTED.

A GIRL TO DO GENERAL HOUSEWORK. Apply on Fourth street, corner of E. mh15d2t

FURNISHED ROOMS WITH BOARD,

FOR A GENTLEMAN AND WIFE, OR TWO gentlemen, in a pleasant locality. Enquire at the Oregonian office. mh15

WANTED,

A WOMAN TO DO GENERAL HOUSEWORK in a small family. Must be a good cook, washer and ironer. Apply at the N. W. corner of Washington and Twelfth sts., after 3 P. M. mh15t

CLERK WANTED.

A SINGLE MAN OF GOOD HABITS, EXPERIENCED in the Dry Goods and Clothing trade and understands a country store, not afraid to soil his hands with wagons and machinery. Apply at once to HAWLEY, DODD & CO. mh15d3t

PORTLAND TURN VEREIN.

MEMBERS ARE INVITED TO ATTEND THE funeral of Mrs. Frank Dekum, and will therefore assemble at the rooms of the German Aid Society, No. 86 Washington street, this day, Friday at 1 o'clock P. M.

G. CASTENDIECK, President.

GERMAN AID SOCIETY.

MEMBERS AND GERMANS GENERALLY ARE invited to attend the funeral of Mrs. Frank Dekum, and are therefore requested to assemble at the rooms of the Society, no. 86 Washington street, this day, Friday, at 1 o'clock P. M.

H. SAXER, President.

MATZOTH.

WE ARE AGAIN ABLE TO FURNISH MATZOTH for the coming Passover. Orders left with the Oregon Bakery promptly attended to.

LIEBE & HOELBING.

M. FRIEDMAN, ISAAC LEVY, Superintendents. mr2dlm

A CARD.

PORTLAND Oregon, March 7, 1878.

TO WHOM IT MAY CONCERN:—This may certify that on Feb. 20, 1878 I insured my stock of Books and Stationery for $1,600 in the Home Mutual Insurance Company of this city. My stock was burned Feb. 21, in about 12 hours after the insurance was effected. The amount of the Policy was paid me in U. S. Gold Coin March 7th by Messrs. Story & Boyd, the Company's Agents in this city. I take pleasure in recommending this Company for its honorable dealings and prompt payment.

1t FRANCIS A. EFFINGER.

NEW ZEALAND Insurance Company. FIRE AND MARINE.

Organized 1859.

THE FOLLOWING FIGURES ARE TAKEN from the Annual Statement of the New Zealand Insurance Company for the year ending the 30th day of November, 1877:

Capital - - $5,000,000

With unlimited liability of stockholders.

Amount of Capital paid up in Cash	$1,000,000
Income for the year 1877	1,076,874
Losses paid " "	552 09
Losses paid since organiza'n	4,016,845
Total Assets	1,031,482
Surplus as regards Policy Holders	1,293,038

Value of Stock as quoted in the English, Australian and New Zealand Stock Markets, $35—$10 being paid up

C. P. FERRY, Inspector. S. B. RIGGEN, Agent. mh15d6t

NEW TO-DAY.

Irish Linens OFFERED VERY LOW BY the piece or half piece at 107 Third street, by JOHN WILSON. mh15t2t

Spring Beds.—THE BEST AND CHEAPEST in the city at EDWARDS & BIRMINGHAM'S, Second st., Centennial Block.

THE SPRING SHOE STORE

WILL OPEN

On or about

Wednesday, March 20th,

With a

Complete Assortment

of

Ladies', Misses', Children's and Infants'

SHOES AND GAITERS.

PRICES CHEAPER than the CHEAPEST.

E. W. COLEMAN, PROPRIETOR,

E. C. PROTZMAN, Portland Manager.

Mr. COLEMAN is at present in San Francisco, where he will remain permanently for the sole purpose of being near the Shoe market, where he can make advantageous purchases—advantageous for himself and patrons alike. mh15d6t

GRAND DISPLAY

OF

SPRING DRESS GOODS

In this department we are prepared to show a

VERY LARGE

AND

CHOICE STOCK,

Including the

Latest Novelties

FOR THE SEASON,

AT LOW PRICES.

As these Goods have been selected with

PARTICULAR CARE,

Ladies will find it to their

ADVANTAGE TO CALL EARLY

And examine them.

SPECIAL INDUCEMENTS IN

BLACK SILKS!

Black and Colored Cashmeres,

French Serges, and

English Lustres.

JOHN CRAN & CO.

State Treasurer's Eighth Notice.

STATE OF OREGON,
TREASURER'S OFFICE,
Salem, March 15, 1878.

NOTICE is hereby given that there are funds in the Treasury for the payment of State Warrants of the old issue, viz Nos. 610, 629, 630, 611, 637, 645, 648, 649, 651, 655, 656, 657, 658, 660, 663, 664, 665, 666, 667, 668, 669.

Interest will cease from this date.

A. H. BROWN
mh15d3w State Treasurer.

1851..........1878.

CHAS. HODGE, GEO. W. SNELL, T. A. DAVIS, F. K. ARNOLD.

HODGE, DAVIS & CO.,

71 Front Street, Portland, Oregon,

Importing Wholesale Druggists

AND DEALERS IN

Paints, Oils and Window Glass.

Having unsurpassed facilities for the BUYING of Goods, we can SELL as low as any house on the Coast.

San Francisco Office—116 Front Street.
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FOR HONOLULU.

THE A 1 FAST SAILING B'RKENTINE

JANE A. FALKINBURG.

L. H. HUBBARD..........Master

Will have quick despatch for the above port. For Freight or Passage apply to

ALLEN & LEWIS, Portland,
mh4d2w or to Capt. GEO. FLAVEL, Astoria.

Valuable Property

AT

ASSIGNEE'S SALE.

THE "WOODHAVEN" SALMON CANNERY, opposite Gardiner, on the Umpqua river, Douglas county, and the "STRATHWAIRN" Cannery, on the Siuslaw river, Lane county Oregon, formerly belonging to Emerson, Corville & Co., are offered at private sale by the Assignees, with the inventory of Cases, Cans, Solder, Boats, Nets, Merchandise, and all other property of whatever nature connected with said Canneries. Bids will be received for either or both establishments at so many cents on the dollar of the inventory valuation. Property will be sold on the basis of payment, what is delivered, be the quantity more or less. The inventory is open for inspection at the store of Geo. H. Tay & Co., 616 Battery street, San Francisco. Address JOHN McCRAKEN & CO., Portland, Or., and HENRY B. BROOKS,

Chairman Assignees E. Corville & Co.,
mh9dawtf 616 Battery street, San Francisco.

BALLS AND PARTIES.

EIGHTEENTH ANNUAL BALL

OF THE

PORTLAND Hibernian Benevolent Society

WILL BE HELD AT

TURN HALLE

ON MONDAY EVENING, MARCH 18, 1878.

Committee of Arrangements:

J. M. Gearin.	T. D. McManus,	William Casey.
M. J. Gleason.	James Noonan,	P. Coakley,
T. B. McDevitt.	R. B. Sinnott,	C. O'Brien,
W. J. Quirk.	Wm. Healey,	T. Murtha,
J. J. Winters,	Jas. Kennedy,	P. Maloney.
T. Rodgers,		

Reception Committee.

J. M. Gearin.	R. B. Sinnott,	T. Rogers,
M. J. Gleason,	W. J. Quirk,	P. Maloney,

Floor Manager.

T. B. McDevitt.

Floor Committee.

J. J. Winters,	T. Murtha,	T. D. McManus,
C. O'Brien,	Jas. Kennedy,	James Noonan.

MUSIC will be furnished by the Northwestern Band, Prof. C. Parrish, Prompter.

TICKETS (admitting gentleman and ladies) $2.
mh4td

ERIN GO BRAGH

GRAND CELEBRATION

OF

ST. PATRICK'S DAY!

AT

PORTLAND, OREGON,

Monday, March 18, 1878.

OFFICERS OF THE DAY:

Grand Marshal, - - Michael Phelan
President, - - - Thos. B. McDevitt
Orator, - - - Hon. John M. Gearin

ORDER OF MARCH:

FIRST DIVISION.
Grand Marshal and Aids.
Northwestern Band.
Emmet Guard.
Portland Hibernian Benevolent Society.
Ancient Order Hibernians

SECOND DIVISION.
Marshal and Aids.
College Band.
Father Matthew Total Abstinence Society.
Benevolent Societies.
Citizens on Foot and in Carriages.

THE PROCESSION

Will form on Ash street, right resting on First st., at 10 o'clock precisely, and march down Ash to Front, up Front to Stark, up Stark to First, up First to Columbia, up Columbia to Fourth, up Fourth to Mill, up Mill to St. Mary's Academy, where the pupils will perform

Vocal and Instrumental Exercises,

After which the Procession will reform on Fourth street, march down Fourth to Stark, down Stark to First, down First to New Market Theater, where the Oration will be delivered by Hon. John M. Gearin, after which each organization will march to their respective halls. mh11td6t

SALOONS.

ELSTON & LEWIS

N. S. Stark Street, bet. Front and First,

WILL OPEN

SATURDAY EVENING MARCH 9th,

With a full and complete stock of the

Best Wines, Liquors & Cigars.

Jacob Strahle's Popular Billiard Tables. Everything Elegant and Comfortable.

ADAM ZORN

AGAIN IN BUSINESS!

HAVING PURCHASED THE POPULAR PLACE known as the

ARCADE SALOON,

I am now prepared to wait upon my friends and the public in general with

Fine Wines and Liquors.

Beer 5 cts. a glass.

On Washington St., bet. First and Second.

mh11 ADAM ZORN.

Gambrinus Brewery

WEST END OF B STREET.

THE BEER BREWED AT THIS BREWERY IS supplied to the public at the well known

GAMBRINUS SALOON,

Corner First and Pine streets.

Try it and judge its quality.

NEW GOODS!

CAMEL'S HAIR CLOTHS.
BLACK and COL'D CASHMERES.
LADIES' TIES.
LADIES' LACE COLLARETTES.
LADIES' LACE BARBS.
BLACK SILKS.
COL'D SILKS in all the latest shades.
FRENCH and IRISH POPLINS.
DOMESTIC and HOUSE FURNISHING GOODS a specialty.

Our stock of GENTS' FURNISHING GOODS is complete in every respect.

Call and examine our Stock.

mh12 CLARKE & HENDERSON.

Shindler & Chadbourne,

Dealers in and Manufacturers of

FURNITURE, CHAIRS, BEDSTEADS,

AND

CENTER TABLES,

In Walnut, Ash and Maple,

WHOLESALE & RETAIL.

First and Front Sts, bet. Morrison and Yamhill

Sugars and Rice,

EX BARKENTINE JANE A. FALKINBURG, from Honolulu, direct—

3,300 KEGS ISLAND SUGARS,
Assorted grades. Also
470 BAGS HONOLULU RICE,

Now landing, and will be offered to trade at low rates.

mh4d1m ALLEN & LEWIS.

NUTS! NUTS! NUTS!

Of all kinds.

A large Invoice just received.

SELLING TO DEALERS AT SAN FRANCISCO PRICES.

mh13 S. L. STONE.

AUCTION AND COMMISSION.

CREIGHTON & STEARNS

AUCTIONEERS,

Commission and Real Estate Ag'ts.

Next Cor. Front and Washington Sts.

REGULAR SALES—Wednesdays and Saturdays. HORSE SALES—At Goddard's Stables, every Tuesday at 2 P. M.

REGULAR SALE.

At Salesroom, 87 Front St.,

SATURDAY, MARCH 16, 1878,
At 10 o'clock A.M.,

Bedroom Sets, Mattresses.
Extension Tables, Desks, Meat Safes.
Sewing Machines.
1 Goldsmith Range.

ALSO,

Groceries, Canned Goods, Crockery and Glassware.

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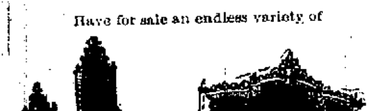
Furniture Manufacturing Co.

First Street, corner of Yamhill, Portland, Oregon.

Have for sale an endless variety of



PARLOR SUITS!

Made in the most thorough manner, and covered in Silk, Plush, Hair Cloth, Reps, Terry and Leather, and ranging from $15 to $500.

These Goods having been made in our own shops we are able to warrant the work.

ONLY NEW MATERIAL USED.

Crockery, Glassware.

NEW STORE—NEW GOODS.

C. T. BELCHER & CO.,

E. S. First St., 2d Door South of Salmon,

Have just opened an entirely New Stock of

China, Glassware,
Queensware, Plated Goods
Chandeliers,
Lamp Stock, etc.

The attention of the public is directed to these Goods. Our aim shall be to offer the best articles at the most reasonable prices.

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GLOVE FACTORY,

Factory and Office,

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WE WOULD RESPECTFULLY ANNOUNCE to the public that we have opened in this city an establishment for the manufacture of Gloves of every description from men's heavy working gloves to ladies' finest kids.

GLOVES MADE TO ORDER ON SHORT NOTICE AND A FIT GUARANTEED.

Orders from the trade solicited and filled with promptness, at lowest rates. We design to supply the trade of the Pacific coast

BELOW SAN FRANCISCO PRICES.

GEORGE WILLIAMS & CO.,
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PATRONIZE HOME INDUSTRY

D. METZGER,

Manufacturer of

Glue, Curled Hair and Neats Foot Oil.

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Refined MACHINE OILS.

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Corner Front and Main Streets—No. 180.

N. B.—My Glues and Oils can also be had from HODGE, DAVIS & CO.

D. METZGER.

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TEACHER OF

Piano, Organ and Violin,

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LESSONS GIVEN IN VOCAL MUSIC.
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BUY THE BEST BED.

HAVING PURCHASED THE RIGHT OF MULTNOMAH and Washington counties, I am prepared to furnish

C. V. B. READER'S PATENT SPRING BED,

The CHEAPEST, BEST and most desirable now in use, at reasonable rates.

Persons wishing to examine can find them at my residence, corner Sixth and Mill streets, at L. F. Bowers' Furniture Store, or at Oglesbee & Fauntlach's, corner of Taylor and Front streets, where produce of all kinds will be taken in exchange.

Special contracts made with hotels and steamboats. A comparison of these beds with all others is solicited. mh5d1m LOT TAYLOR.

HACHENEY & BENO,

Grocers & Seedsmen,

N. W. cor. First and Taylor Sts.

HAVING PURCHASED THE ENTIRE STOCK of first class groceries of Hacheny & Stemme, we are prepared, with an additional new stock, to fill all orders.

Please call and examine our goods and prices.

GOODS DELIVERED FREE to all parts of city.

ANOTHER TEST!

[TELEGRAM.]

Steilacoom, W. T., Feb. 13, 1878.

RAYMOND & WILSHIRE, Agents Macneale & Urban Safes, San Francisco—Half a block of buildings burned; Safe and contents all right.

W. H. MASTIN.

A number of these Superior Fire Proof Safes, or prices, &c., will be furnished by applying to

KNAPP, BURRELL & CO.,
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G. L. HIBBARD. J. W. BRAZEE.

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Importers, Manufacturers & Wholesale Dealers in

BOOTS, SHOES, RUBBERS & FINDINGS,

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WARRANTED RAZORS, SCISSORS, POCKET Knives, and all kinds of Cutlery and Fancy Goods sold and made to order.

Razor, Scissors and any Cutting Instrument Ground and Repaired at very low prices.

First street, between Salmon and Main,

UP-TOWN DRUG STORE

Opposite Wrinkle's, First Street.

Stock fresh and complete. Prescriptions carefully filled at reasonable rates.

Country patronage solicited.

f23d1m&wtf O. P. S. PLUMMER, M. D.

Hides Wanted.—BEEF HIDES, SHEEP Hides, Calf Skins and Deer Skins wanted. If you want to get full value in cash for your hides address LOUIS ARNOLD, Portland, Oregon. Proprietor of the Oregon Tannery. mh11d6t

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Auctioneers and Commission

MERCHANTS,

First Street, bet. Pine and Ash, Portland

Regular Sales of Real Estate, Furniture and General Merchandise, TUESDAYS and FRIDAYS at 10 o'clock A. M.

REGULAR SALE!

FRIDAY, MARCH 15, 1878,
At 10 o'clock A. M.

FURNITURE.

1 Walnut Bedroom Set, marble top.
Spring Mattresses.
1 Elegant Parlor Set, walnut and strip'd reps.

ALSO,

CROCKERY.

100 doz. Plates, 7-inch.
50 doz. Plates, 6-inch.

ALSO,

GROCERIES:

ALSO,

1 Iron Safe, 1 Desk, and a large assortment of Stationery Goods, Paper Pencils, Penholders, &c.

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INSURANCE.

Home Mutual Insurance Co.

OF CALIFORNIA.

J. F. HOUGHTON..........President
CHAS. R. STORY..........Secretary
HAMILTON BOYD, GEO. L. STORY, ...Agents for Oregon

OFFICE—Northeast corner of Stark and First Sts., Portland, Oregon.

Net Cash received for Fire Premiums in 1877		$335,511 01
Assets, Jan. 1, 1878		578,065 85
LIABILITIES—		
Losses unpaid	$3,638 37	
Dividends "	1,957 00	5 595 37
Surplus for Policy Holders		$572,470 47
Losses paid in Oregon in six years		$114,516 72

THE CALIFORNIA Insurance Company

SAN FRANCISCO, CAL.

Organized February, 1861.

Capital, (Paid up in Gold.)	$300,000 00
Assets, (January 1st, 1878.)	527,730 63
Liabilities (Except Capital)	79,975 27
Net Surplus (For Policy Holders)	447,755 36
Total Loss (Paid since Organiza'n)	1,265,705 76

This substantial Company, the oldest and most successful of all the California Insurance Companies, having deposited $50,000 with the State Treasurer of Oregon as required by law, has established a Branch Office at No. 9 First st., Ankeny's Block, Portland, for the transaction of

Fire and Marine Insurance.

SAM'L M. DONNELL,

General Agent for Oregon and Washington Terri'y.

☞ Agents wanted in all the principal towns of Oregon and Washington Territory. fe28d6m

Foreign Insurance Companies

"Imperial" of London,

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"Queen," of Liverpool,

CORBITT & MACLEAY,

Agents.

W. F. BROWN, Manager.

UNION Insurance Company

FIRE AND MARINE.

Capital, (PAID UP IN GOLD COIN.) - $750,000

Assets exceed - $1,000,000

BRANCH OFFICE FOR OREGON,

First National Bank Building, Portland

W. S. CALDWELL, Agent.

THE STATE Investment & Insurance

COMPANY.

OF SAN FRANCISCO.

FIRE AND MARINE.

Incorporated in 1871.

Cash Assets, - $475,000.

OFFICERS.

PETER DONAHUE, President. A. J. BRYANT, Vice President.
CHARLES H. CUSHING Secretary.

This Company has no connection with any Insurance combination; its business is transacted at the Lowest Paying Rates, each risk being rated according to its own merits.

The undersigned, having been appointed General Agents for the above Company, are now prepared to accept applications and issue Policies for Fire and Marine risks at equitable rates.

A. P. HOTALING & CO.,
Office—25 Front Street, Portland,
General Agents for Oregon and Washington Territory.

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Served In Every Style.

ALISKY & HEGELE,

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VALUABLE BOOKS

FOR SALE AT

J. K. GILL & CO'S,

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The American Almanac, price	$1 50
The Antelope and Deer of America	4 50
The Khedive's Egypt	1 50
Boston Monday Lectures, vols. 1, 2, 3, per vol	1 50
Hand Book of Northwestern Ornithology, by Coues	4 50
Harper's Pictorial History of the Rebellion, 2 vols	12 00

G. NEIMEYER,

Merchant Tailor,

31 First St., Portland,

Invites the public to inspect his stock of

SEASONABLE GOODS—JUST ARRIVED.

Style and Workmanship Guaranteed.

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Corner First

Regular Sale Days, Saturd

WILL PURCHASE AND Merchandise,

A general assortment of sale.

WANT

A COMPETENT PERSON in a hotel. None but apply. Address Lock Box

SITUATION

BY A YOUNG GIRL TO work. Apply at Seventh, bet. E and F street

SECOND HAND FURNI highest price will be 808.

TO L

A FURNISHED ROOM house on Madison street

TWO FINE SUITS OF Also, five unfurnished housekeeping. Inquire Fifth and Clay streets.

FURNISHED ROOMS

GOOD ROOMS WITH on Second street, mon, can be had at borhood and convenient

PLEASANT ROOMS Fifth street, between near the Postoffice.

ROOMS

IN SUITS, FOR HOU at Southwest corner streets. In store.

FOR RENT — ON Market Stalls Nos. First street, now occup ton. Apply to ALEX

A LARGE, NICELY trally located.

TWO NEWLY FURNISH Inquire at the bia sts.

FOR

CIGAR STA

THE "STAR OF CUBA" the bests Stands in J. O'BRIEN'S, corner of

FOR SALE

FOR SALE AT MILW an acre of Land, For rent at Portland, Lots in Block 58 Carlet and 133 Caruthers Addi lot, One Dollar. Milwaukie.

REAL

A CHOICE LOT, with TWO HOUS corner lot; street OF GILMAN & IRVIN

WIRE CABLE, inches, any length fe18d1m

FOR SALE

A RARE CHANCE in the healthy Southern California, feet square, with rooms, 75 fruit trees and outhouses. Price this property for a ton Territory, that it timber farm is not View of house and F. WISE, Portland,

CHEAP

THE UNDERSIGNED large number of Addition to East now prepared to dispose figure, on terms to is very desirably and steads, being within Stark Street Ferry, and For particulars apply At Sheldon's hard and, Oregon.

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506 ACRES BEING tion of the (the original Home 3 miles from Dayton, Minnville. (House, ments. Title perfect per acre, one third 10 per cent interest Agent for owners.

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FURNISHED ROOMS Board. Inquire Jefferson, opp. Congre

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LOST, ON SATURD inst., a Black and RING. Any person ing it to room 7 Mo between Morrison and above reward.

WOULD INFORM will clean and Portland, East or West Furniture Store.

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OUR MAGNIFICENT Oregon Scenery, beauty, has been form, and placed in HAN for sale, at his These views, when sent never fail to excite Call and make selection

STOCKHOL

THE ANNUAL holders of the Company will be held Portland, Oregen, o'clock, P. M. The been heretofore given poned; the business considered at the transfer of Stock will mr1dtf

JAMES H.

Umatilla,

FORWARDING

MERCH

RATES

Drayage, per ton
Storage and Forwar
A large Fire-Proof W
DRY GOODS, CLOT
GENERAL
(Establish
☞ Mark Goods, care
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McDOUGALL'S PATEN onous, free from ered by Flockmasters ing. Agents for Pacific KERRON

The People's
☞ Agents wanted.

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Plaster Decoration
Wall Coloring, and

Office—Corner

☞ ORDERS PROMPTLY
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FIRST-RATE

GERMAN AN

DR. PHIL
At Corner
Or at the residence of

The Daily Oregonian.

FRIDAY MORNING, MARCH 15, 1878.

CITY.

DWELLING HOUSE DESTROYED.—The dwelling house of Mr. S. Simon, situated in Tibbett's Addition, East Portland, a short distance north of the car shops, was totally destroyed by fire Thursday morning at an early hour. A few minutes after 3 o'clock a bright light was observed in the direction of the machine shop by a person who foolishly struck the alarm from box No. 12 at the corner of Morrison and First streets. The wild clangor of the bell aroused the slumbering city, and brought out the fire department in quick time. Ascertaining that the conflagration was too remote from the city to be reached, Chief Morgan ordered the companies to return to their respective engine houses, which they promptly obeyed. The building, it is learned, was unoccupied at the time as Mr. Simon and family are sojourning in this city. The origin of the fire is not known positively, but there are strong reasons for attributing it to incendiarism. Two Chinamen who were employed by Mr. Simon about the place, and who, at the time of the fire were sleeping in the barn, located a short distance from the dwelling, affirm that they heard a noise resembling a suppressed cough in the direction of the house only a short time prior to the fire. No particular attention was called to it, but soon after the crackling of flames was heard, and when the Chinamen arose and ran out they found the building on fire. Nothing could be done to stay the progress of the flames, and the house and contents were totally consumed. Mr. Simon estimates his loss at $2,500. The building was insured in the State Investment and Insurance Co. for $2,000.

SHOULD BE ABATED.—Near the corner of Fourth and Taylor streets is situated a Chinese laundry, which is carried on in such a manner as to become a great nuisance to most of the residents on the entire block. The Chinamen are in the habit of emptying all the dirty suds and slops of the laundry out into the back yard. The ground is low and level for some distance around, and the water, instead of being absorbed, overflows that portion of the block. A large quantity of water is used in carrying on the business, and as a natural result there is a perfect pond in that vicinity. The filthy water has perfectly saturated the soil, and the odors arising are said to scarcely equal in fragrance the famous spices of Araby. When the warm weather shall arrive the stench will become intolerable and will be quite sufficient to breed disease. Residents in the immediate vicinity complain of this nuisance, which is continually growing worse. The committee on health and police should promptly attend to the abatement of this alleged nuisance.

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Farmers and gardeners are busy

St Patrick's Day will soon be here

And still no through overland mail

Pruning ornamental trees is in order

Gov Chadwick was in the city yesterday

Prof Plummer is somewhere in Eastern Oregon

Thus far the present month 7 arrests have been made

Some repairs were made yesterday to the street railway

The political caldron has commenced to simmer a little

Hon Hiram Smith of Harrisburg gave us a brief call yesterday

Over 10 cases have been tried in the state circuit court thus far the present term

Stone masons are again working on the foundation wall near the ferry landing

The state circuit court will probably be in session for the remainder of the month

Weather changeable yesterday—pleasant in the forenoon and showery in the afternoon

Get ready to number your house. The ordinance requires it to be done before the 1st of April

A handsome monument has been placed over the grave of the late Tobias Thomas in Lone Fir Cemetery

A large boiler and furnace for the steamer *Emma Hayward* is being turned out at the Oregon Iron works

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The daily stock report from San Francisco published in THE OREGONIAN is a very attractive feature of the paper

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Messages remain uncalled for at the Western Union telegraph office for W F Matthews, Yee Sing and L Rosenthal of East Portland

Capt Jack Miss Rena Mr Ward, Mr and Mrs Wade and the other members of the company returned from Vancouver yesterday

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BOARD OF DELEGATES

[REGULAR MEETING, MARCH 14, 1878.]

The Board of Delegates of the Portland Fire Department of the city of Portland met at the usual hour the president Jos Bachman, in the chair. Wm Church, Jr, secretary being present.

Members present—Moreland Simon and Withcrell of No. 1 Bachman and Tribou of No 2 Braden, Brown and Taylor of No 4 Mendenhall and Sears of No 5, and Stoltz and Wygant, of Vigilance H & L Co No 1

The minutes of last meeting were read and approved

The standing committees of the board as formerly published in THE OREGONIAN were announced

On motion the rules of the old board were adopted

A communication from Columbian Engine Co No 3, announcing the death of John Morgan, a member of that company, was read and placed on file and the proper entry made on the department register

Notices were received and read announcing the resignation of John O Donnell and G R Sharp from Protection No 4, and the proper entry ordered made on the register

Communications were received and referred to committee on certificates as follows. From Willamette No 1, asking for active certificates for W Eppinger and Walter Norton, from Columbian No 3 for active certificates for N B Ingersoll, Thomas Holton and F A Sutherland from Tiger No 5, for active certificate for Noah Lambert and from Protection No 4, for an exempt certificate for J S Risley

Bills for stationery and advertising, amounting to $11 75, were ordered paid. The bill of I W Morgan $20 for care of the firemen's plat in Lone Fir cemetery for the year 1877, was read and with the accompanying communication was referred to committee on cemetery

Upon a favorable report by the committee active certificates were ordered issued to C Esmoins, of No 1, and M Burk and A Bartsh of No, 3, and an exempt certificate to M F Sheehan, of No 2

A resolution was adopted authorizing the president and secretary of the board to offer a reward of $20 for the arrest and conviction of any person for turning in a false alarm at any fire alarm box in the city of Portland, and a notice of such reward was ordered published in the official paper of the city for one month

On motion the board adjourned

SOCIAL EVENTS.

Turn Halle was crowded last evening with a gay throng of spectators and maskers the attraction being the masquerade soiree given under the auspices of the Portland Social Turn Verein. At an early hour in the evening the maskers began to assemble and by 9 o'clock nearly 100 had arrived. A great many spectators were also present. Dancing commenced at about 9 and was indulged in without much intermission until 12 o'clock. At 11 o clock the masks and disguises were removed much to the merriment of both the spectators and participants. Many handsome novel and costly costumes were worn but at the request of the committee the names of the maskers and characters are not given. The gentlemen composing the committee of arrangements were attentive and courteous and did everything in their power to contribute to the pleasure of all and the success of the affair. In this they succeeded admirably for a more enjoyable party has not been given for months. Lunch was served in the basement of the building by Frank Fabre from 11 P M to 2 A M.

Tripping the light fantastic was continued until a late hour this morning

RELIGIOUS NOTES

Rev Mr Lichenthaler will preach at Hall Street church on next Sunday at 11 o clock A M

Mother Joseph of the Order of the Sisters of Charity returned by the *Ancon* from her recent journey to Canada.

Rev G C Thibeau who for 12 years has been on missionary duty in this archdiocese left on the *Elder* for his native Holland in search of relief for chronic disease of the throat.

Solemn high mass will be sung at the cathedral on next Monday the 18th inst at 9 A M in honor of the Patron saint of Ireland. The panegyric on the occasion will be preached by Rev A J Glorieux

Rev Wm Roberts whose severe sickness we mentioned in a former issue is slowly convalescing with a fair prospect of recovery but is still confined closely to his room and for the most part to his bed

INTERNATIONAL S S CONVENTION.—Mr E J Northrup of this city has received the following letter from Mr Geo A Pitts: "On behalf of the committee on delegations to the international sunday school convention at Atlanta Georgia in April next I address you. Oregon is entitled to six delegates. Can she not by some means send a full or a partial delegation? The lesson question comes up again this year, and its importance cannot be overrated. I have your address alone except that of Mr J G Glenn, so with you I leave the matter of trying to secure the desired attendance."

AN EGG THIEF.—Last Tuesday evening an old Celestial named Ah Lum entered the grocery store of James Stewart at the corner of B and Park streets and when unobserved picked up a box of eggs and walked out. He was discovered and arrested and taken to the city jail. The case was continued over until yesterday when it was called up. Ah Lum was sentenced to pay a fine of $100 and in default of payment will serve out 50 days

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The pastor read the [illegible] chapter of Isaiah and offered prayer.

Miss Struble gave an intensely interesting map lesson. India is a great irregular triangle. It is larger than all of Europe except Russia. It [illegible] twice as high as the Alps. Over the mountains [illegible] used as beasts of burden. It has large deserts and plains [illegible] waters of the Ganges a month to flow from their glacial home to the sea. There is great diversity of climate. India is very rich in minerals and especially [illegible]. In vegetable productions it is very rich except those [illegible] there is nothing that its soil will not produce.

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The congregation sang Joy to the World to old Antioch in a hearty manner. Prof Pratt followed in an address on the Sepoy rebellion of 1857. The causes which led to this mutiny were the venality of the East India Company's officers a stamp act somewhat similar to the one which caused our revolutionary war the oppressions of the English soldiery and the greased Enfield rifle cartridge the native Sepoy soldiery in the employ of the company refusing to use them as grease defiles a Hindoo. The mutiny began near Calcutta. These Sepoys were discharged. The next outbreak was near Delhi then at Delhi and in both places the English were brutally murdered. Cawnpore has become historic and is stained by the massacre of the women and children by Nena Sahib after his defeat by Havelock. The mutiny received its death blow at Delhi when it was captured by the English. The leaders were executed some by being shot from cannon.

Mr C H Marvin's paper on the people of India showed great care in its preparation and was read most admirably. India contains 200 000 000 people. The Dravidians were the first inhabitants. The Aryans invaded India 1 500 B C. To day the various races in India differ as much as do the nations of Europe. There were four original languages and 100 dialects. They have made no progress for 3 000 years. Caste weighs down the people. Of the original castes there were four but there are now sixteen mixed castes. The Brahmins are the high caste and number about 1,000 000. There are castes so degraded that the mere shadow falling on a man of high caste causes pollution. Caste causes the son, no matter what his qualifications to follow his father's profession or occupation. In 1850 the British government struck a blow at caste by taking from the Brahmins authority over the lower classes. But a secret organization is now endeavoring to perpetuate it. Morally the people of India are of all colors except perhaps white. The inhabitants are unfortunately housed. It is a good country for lawyers nearly a million suits were pending in 1877. Silver is no standard, and the unit of value is worth about two shillings. The people are generally desirous of learning the English language. Infanticide is declining in India. It is considered disrespectful to use the left hand to touch the person or beard to remove the turban or not to put off the shoes on entering a strange house is grossly insulting. When they make calls they stay until they are told to go. Female relatives are never mentioned. The ladies of the higher castes are said to be very beautiful. Mr Marvin's paper was heartily applauded

J A Cruzan delivered a brief address on the Religious and Missions in India. There are 200 000 Parsees followers of Zoroaster and forty millions of Mohammedans but the great mass of the natives are Hindoos which religion alone was explained. Ancient Hindooism taught that there were 33 gods divided into three classes those of the heavens the air and the earth. Light is Heaven, Surya the Sun is the Supreme God in this upper class with a large suite of minor deities and personations of light as dawn day, night etc. In the sphere of the air there are some troublesome demons who try to shut off the water supply. Indra the god of thunder and his suite have it for their business to conquer these demons and set the water supply all right. In the sphere of the earth we find the boldest Pantheism. Agni the god of fire is the chief but everything almost is personified and deified. Worship was at first patriarchal sacrifice was a contract and when man fulfilled his half the gods were obliged to obey the wishes of the worshipper. This was the seed of Brahminism the present religion. The very pious could control the god, hence were their superiors and so some of the priests were deified and all took first rank, that of Brahmins. Brahma the supreme god is the sum of all nature—concentrated Pantheism. Below him are eight subordinate deities and his wife. Fatalism and transmigration are the two central doctrines of this latter day religion. Every creature is descended from Brahma, and must pass through all the stages of existence back to him again. For sin if these transformations are not punishment enough the soul goes to one of eight hells and then, after thousands of years of suffering crawls out in the shape of a worm or snake, and up through the stages of being to Brahma. There is no Redeemer in Brahmanism. Every man must redeem himself.

There are 250,000 Protestants in India and 1 000 000 Catholics. The Congregationalists sent out their first missionaries in 1812. These met the opposition of the East India Company at first but have been very successful. They now have three missions 21 stations, 211 out stations and 5 759 members

Turkey will be the next country visited

EUGENE ITEMS

Our regular correspondent under date of March 14th sends us the following items

Croquet parties are popular

Capt Jack and company this week

Eugene wears a prosperous appearance

New foundry is approaching completion

Geo A Webb of Messrs Corbitt & Macleay is in town

Dancing school organized by J Fala from St Louis

There are nearly 80 school districts in Lane county

Prof Cederstrom lectured Tuesday evening at M E church

Some parties are going to build a town hall here next spring

Reunion of the literary societies at the university Friday next

Donation party for Rev J T Wolfe M E church last week receipts $16

Jap Stevens is president and J A McQuinn secretary of the Eugene B B club

The pupils of the public school presented Mrs J Stowell their teacher with a flag last week

Rev R H Moss of Salem has been preaching in the Christian church during the past week

Very fine essay read at temperance meeting Saturday last by Mrs Prof B H. By request will be read again

The locomotive on the railroad ran out of steam coming up on Wednesday and had to stop a short time below Eugene

The Eugene base ball club are going to challenge the Albany boys for a match game to come off about the 15th of April

Teachers institute for Lane county under supt J L Bolon on the 27th 28th and 29th of this month. Public examination on the 30th

Mr W W Ropey in his wagon manufactory is doing a rushing business—has 60 hacks and 30 buggies now under way for Portland market

Wild flowers in abundance and peach and plum trees in bloom. Maple leaves one inch long and in gardens daisies, pansies and hyacinths in bloom

BUSINESS NOTICES

The attention of all who desire to insure in one of the most reliable and well established insurance companies is called to the advertisement of the New Zealand Insurance Company found in another column. A perusal of the financial condition of the company will convince the most skeptical of its soundness and thorough reliability

METEOROLOGICAL RECORD

AT 3 P M

	Bar	Ther	Wind	Rainfall	Weather
Portland	29 [illegible]	5[illegible]	S	[illegible]	Lt Rain
Olympia	29 9[illegible]	4[illegible]	0	[illegible]	Lt Rain
Roseburg	[illegible]	[illegible]	0	19	Cloudy
Red Bluff	[illegible]	[illegible]	SE	[illegible]	Fair
Sacramento	30 10	[illegible]	[illegible]	0	Cloudy

POLICE COURT NOTES

China Sam violating ordinance No [illegible] fined $15 unpaid. Wm Curran lying drunk on the street $10 unpaid. John Brown drunk and disorderly $5 unpaid

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Pianos and organs selling for cost at Gray's music store. Now is your chance to get a bargain before they are all gone

Abell the photographer has done a large business since he opened. This is due to low prices and good work

Frank Barnes is happy. His business is improving wonderfully. Glad to hear it

Messrs W J VanSchuyver & Co beg to advise their Noble trade to record their spring orders as they are rapidly disposing of lots ex ships to arrive. Agency 39 Front street

RELIGION NOT NATIONALITY

SEATTLE March 1 1878

TO THE EDITOR OF THE OREGONIAN

The following is from the *Daily Standard* of March 5th

A WEDDING.—A few days since Justice Bybee was called upon to settle the marriage contract between a couple of Portland young folks which as yet has not been made public. The reason of this is on account of nationalities, the husband being a Jew and the wife an American. At the proper time the names will be given

The above has attracted my attention and I would beg leave to draw yours to the wording of it. The reason given is on account of *nationalities* the husband being a Jew the wife an American.

If an ignorant fellow writes the paragraphs for a paper I willingly excuse such phraseology but if the writer pretends to any degree of education I would respectfully ask him what nation the Jew is.

A newspaper which assumes its columns to be perused by an enlightened public should at least be able to discriminate between nation and religion. Is a child born on American soil and of Jewish parents less of an American than the one born of Christian parents? Does the law require of him less duties on account of his religion? and will justice or common sense place the man of society upon one who follows the faith of his fathers in the one omnipotent eternal God and who believes in the teaching of a religion by which salvation can only be gained by strict moral and righteous actions through life? It is to be hoped that in this nineteenth century the age of advancement and enlightenment such is not the case

Let not therefore private malice prevail. Let editors be just. Nothing more and may such articles henceforth read

The reason of this is on account of difference in religion the husband being an Israelite the wife a Christian. J K

OREGON STATE GRANGE

TO THE EDITOR OF THE OREGONIAN

You will confer a great favor upon many of the readers of your valuable paper by publishing the following

MASTER'S OFFICE OREGON STATE GRANGE }
P OF H SCIO March 11 1878 }

PATRONS OF HUSBANDRY. The time for the assembling of the fifth annual session of the Oregon State Grange is not far in the future being the fourth Tuesday of May (28th day) 1878

The place selected by the executive committee for the assembling of the grange is in the city of Salem

It is the duty of the deputies of the various counties in the jurisdiction to call conventions to meet at their respective county seats on the second Monday of April to elect representatives to the State Grange. Should the deputy of any grange neglect or fail to call such meeting, as the law directs each subordinate grange will elect delegates to their respective county conventions and meet on the day above mentioned and elect representatives to the state Grange

The law as published in printed proceedings of the State Grange of Oregon for either of the years 1876 or 1877 will govern your elections except that Past Masters are eligible to be elected representatives and neither the wife of a Master or Past Master elected representative if a matron is a voting member of the State Grange. It is very desirable that a full attendance of the representatives be had. All fourth degree members are cordially invited to meet with the State Grange

We feel warranted in saying that the citizens of Salem and the brotherhood in the vicinity will extend to all a hearty and fraternal welcome

WILLIAM CYRUS Master

THE COURTS

STATE CIRCUIT COURT—SHATTUCK J

THURSDAY March 14 1878.

Levi Estes vs Joseph Knott et al—demurrer to complaint argued and submitted

O C R R Co vs B Holladay—time extended to answer until May 13th 1878

J C Moreland vs M Brady, et al—demurrer to answer overruled

Rosanna Hernenover vs Barber & Nicklin—demurrer to the complaint argued and submitted

M A O'Donnell vs A O Donnell—referred to A I Moses to take testimony

Kiel & Wagner vs B R Peterson verdict for defendant.

State of Oregon vs Charles Egan defendant arraigned and plea of not guilty entered

COUNTY COURT—WOODWARD J

WOODWARD AND KELLY COMMISSIONERS

PROBATE.

In the matter of the guardianship of the minors of Joseph Bailey deceased hearing continued until Saturday next at 11 o clock A M

LAW

M Gray vs W S Cummings—action to recover price of piano, motion to strike out part of defendant's answer overruled and plaintiff allowed two days in which to reply

Court adjourned until next Saturday at 10 o clock A M

JUSTICE COURT—BYBEE J

State vs Rogers—waived an examination, held to answer bail $300 given

State vs Schaffer—held to answer bail $1 000 given

State vs Morrissey—fined $35

State vs Morrissey—fined $15

State vs Morrissey—discharged, and costs taxed against Gustav Bronner prosecuting witness $23 70

State vs Yick Wo—larceny on trial

MULTNOMAH COUNTY REPUBLICAN CONVENTION.

A Republican convention for Multnomah county is hereby called, to be held at the court house in the city of Portland on Saturday the 6th day of April 1878 at 1 o clock P M to select 2 delegates to the Republican state convention to be held at the city of Salem on April 17 1878

Primary conventions will be held at the usual places of voting on Saturday March 30 1878 between the hours of 1 and 7 P M

The committee have adopted the following as the apportionment of delegates in said convention for the several precincts of the county

Couch	5	North East Portland	2
East Portland	[illegible]	Powell's Valley	1
Fulton	1	Sandy	1
Grant	[illegible]	St Johns	1
Madison	[illegible]	Sauvie's Island	1
Morrison	8	South Portland	7
Multnomah	7	Western	1
North Portland	5	Willamette	1

Total number of delegates [illegible]

The committee have deemed it advisable to defer for the present the calling of a convention for the nomination of county officers and the convention hereby called is intended only for the purpose of nominating delegates to the state convention

JOSEPH SIMON
THOS A JORDAN
I N SANDERS
Republican County Committee

March 11 1878

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CLIMATIC CHANGES

VARIATIONS OF TEMPERATURE AND FIFTEEN [illegible] OF [illegible] IN THE COUNTRY EAST OF THE [illegible] AS COMPARED WITH FORMER YEARS.

[From the Walla Walla Union]

In the early settlement of the country east of the Cascade mountains it was observable that the climate was similar to that of western Oregon with this difference the winters were colder and the summers warmer. There was more sunshine and less rain the atmosphere during winter much more bracing containing less humidity and, perhaps more healthy. Great changes have taken place in the whole district east of the mountains. The question is what has wrought these changes. Several theories have been advanced to account for them. One is the breaking up of so much of the earth's surface, that the earth from its scanty attracts the rain clouds and has a tendency to render the atmosphere more humid and then it condenses in the form of rain. Another theory is that the planting of fruit and shade trees has a tendency to attract the clouds and thereby cause rain. This is an old theory and is supported by many writers on the subject. It is contended by these that as the forests are felled and the land cleared up the rain all gradually grows less just in proportion as the forests are cleared away. This theory has considerable force in it but the trees planted here are very insignificant in number when compared with the forests of Ohio and Indiana. In these two states the destruction of timber has been very great. We are not aware that any diminished rainfall is experienced in those two states

It is evidently true let the reason be what it may that the nearer the mountains is approached the more rain falls and the more seasonable it is for the growth of the cereals and vegetables. On the other hand it is a noticeable fact that as the distance from the mountains is increased the showers are fewer in summer time and the quantity of rain very perceptibly less. At Wallula there is much less rain than at Walla Walla and at Walla Walla there is much less than at the foot of the mountains. This favors the forest theory because there are some very high barren hills in the vicinity of Wallula yet they do not seem to attract the rain producing clouds and for that reason the farmers in that part of the country have lighter crops of grain and vegetables

Even at the Touchet there is a perceptible difference in the rainfall. We have known several seasons that after the rains and snows of the winters the earth would not be wet down to a greater depth than from 2 to 3 inches. The rains of late years have increased there too so that the increase of rain is not confined to this locality nor to the adjoining mountainous districts. Altitude seems to have some influence on the weather both as to rain and cold. From now until the first of April there will be rain snow or hail nearly every day. While on the heights about Wallula there will be very little of either. The last two winters during the months of December and January are compared. We are indebted to Mr I Straight for the data

For the month of December 1876 the mean temperature was 31 15° for January 1877 the mean temperature was 29 15° while for December 1877 the mean was 35 7° and for the month of January 1878 the mean was 36 3°. It will be seen by this that these months respectively were warmer this season than the corresponding months of the year before. The crocus bloomed just 16 days in advance of last year

The Springfield (Mass *Republican* has reached a very remarkable conclusion. The fact is that it is becoming unpopular for a public man in this country to be in the habit of getting drunk and this alone marks a great advance in public sentiment

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[illegible] | SAM GIFFEN

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SALEM Ogn March 14 1878

TO THE EDITOR OF THE OREGONIAN

I see in your paper of this date an editorial relative to the Corvallis college I must thank you for the boldness with which you expose some of the wrongs which have been perpetrated in the interests of this school but must think you have fallen into at least one error. You say "It was proper if the legislature saw fit that Corvallis College should be designated to receive the benefits of the grant of lands made by congress for the purposes of an agricultural college in this state" I admit there is no law forbidding the legislature to give this land grant to the Corvallis College save and except the long standing precedent of keeping all public schools separate and apart from sectarian schools. With the same propriety the legislature might appropriate the public school fund of Corvallis to the college. For the same reason all the public school funds of Salem might be given to the Willamette University and Academy of the Sacred Heart.

Again, in Portland, you have St Helens Hall the Bishop Scott Grammar School and one school belonging to the Catholic church and with the same propriety the legislature might designate these "schools" to receive the public school fund of Portland. Our public school lands are a gift of congress, in no sense essentially different from the gift of Agricultural College lands and for the same reason that the one is donated to a church, might the other be The truth is, and it had as well be spoken, "The M E Church South was selected and all other churches spurned, simply because it was 'the Methodist Episcopal Church South.'" The truth is, that no church should have been selected, and the college would have been far better off without.

The people of Lane county, unaided by church rule and authority, have furnished funds to build the college,—I think about $75,000 How much has Benton county furnished to advance the interests of the Corvallis College? I think the treasurer's books will show possibly $2,000,—not more

Now why is it Benton county does so little? Simply because the people regard it as a church school.

Let me say a word about that $5,000 appropriation in 1872, and I know whereof I write, having been an eye-witness That bill had its origin with Ben. Simpson and was "put through" by him. Mr. Simpson was elected from Benton that year, and it was his promise to "put this bill through" that elected him. The Corvallis college gave Ben Simpson his majority, and for once at least failed to vote the straight Democratic ticket. True, Emery & Co. did not see much Republicanism in Ben, but looking through him, they saw $5,000 a year, and it was for this they voted.

It may be best to connect the agricultural college with the state university, of this I am not fully advised. Two things are needed, to wit Separate it from church connection, and cease to pay $6000 annually for church school purposes SAM

FINANCE AND COMMERCE.

Financial.

THURSDAY EVENING March 14, 1878.

Gold in New York, 101¼

Legal tenders in Portland—buying 97¾ selling 98¼@98½.

Silver in Portland, buying 3¼@4 per cent. discount.

Real Estate.

Deeds of the date mentioned have been filed for record since our last report as follows

March 11, 1878, ten acres of Seldon Murray's donation land claim, consideration $1 000.

April 21, 1876, undivided half of the undivided half of the east half of the donation land claim of Danforth Balch and wife, $1.

March 12 1878 lot 7 block 144, Couch's addition to the city of Portland, $375.

Feb. 28, 1878, five acres in Joshua and Nancy Willis's land claim in secs. 5, 6, 7 and 8, T 1 S, R 1 E, $1.

March 5 1878—Lot in Carnthers Addition commencing at point 60 feet E of S E corner of block A thence S 100 by E 51 feet, $175.

March 9, 1878—W ½ of lots 5 and 6, block 72, Albina $475.

MORTGAGES.

The number of mortgages on personal property being filed for record recently has materially increased, showing that this method of raising needed funds is being more extensively practiced by poorer classes of people. Since our last report there have been three mortgages on real estate filed for $650, $100 and $241 respectively, each for one year at 12 per cent.

$1,000 payable March 1, 1880 at 1 per cent.

Domestic Produce.

In regard to breadstuffs there is but little new to report, the few transactions occurring showing but little change from the position of affairs since our last weekly review. The tendency of prices, however, has been gradually downwards. Wheat is about 5c lower, and flour 12½@25c lower than a week ago. Nearly all the leading exporters here are out of the market at present, and as there are no more vessels at hand or under charter to load, and receipts from the interior are unusually light, we may conclude that the wheat trade is virtually closed until the roads get dry again. This may be considered as an indefinite postponement, but not a final termination, as there is quite a large surplus above the wants for home consumption yet left in this state and Washington territory, much of which will find its way into the market before harvest. Flour is in fair supply, with a moderately active local trade, but some discouragement to shippers is presented by advices from the markets abroad

Oats have been inactive during the whole week and dealers have been gradually settling toward a figure below the disposition of holders to accept, and hence transactions have not been frequent or large Best quality for milling purposes, however, are in fair request and might be placed at a slight advance on the quotations given, which are for good merchantable lots. In barley, hay mill feed etc., nothing new is reported, dealers are doing a moderate business and prices rather more in buyers' favor, except barley, of which receipts and offerings are light, and hardly sufficient to meet the current demand for feed and brewing purposes.

Provisions are not materially changed, either in the price or volume of the movement. The supply of bacon in the hands of packers and dealers is quite liberal, and disposals are usually of small lots, and to place considerable quantities at quotations would be difficult. The local trade for choice bacon and hams is active, and with its continuance holders will be able to work off a large portion of of their surplus.

Dairy products are coming forward quite freely, and prices, as will be seen by reference to our quotations, are lower for all except choice butter and cheese for local consumption Eggs are weak at 18c.

Hides are duller and lower

New York Freights and Markets.

NEW YORK, March 13.—There has been a little more life in the freight market to day, in consequence of a cessation of the storm and the movement of accumulated freights. However, the market cannot be termed at all lively. Shipments are mainly dry goods, although several hundred tons of railroad iron have been engaged and is being placed on ships of both lines. Rates are steady in medium and light goods, but weak in compact weights. The ship Red Cross will be loaded to morrow or next day The supply of tonnage continues to increase. The ship Lauretta Fish 1 945 tons, was taken to day for Simonson & Howes line, to follow the Thomas Dana Regarding the new line at Philadelphia, nothing further has been developed. The first ship is only ten days out from Liverpool, and she will not arrive and be ready for business inside of 25 days. In the meantime the boys who are to run the line are canvassing the market against the old line

The markets as a general thing remain in *statu quo*. Flour, dull, depressed, high grades being 10@15c off Wheat, quiet, firmer Pork, more active, chiefly speculative $10@10 2a. Rio coffee quiet and firmer, sugars moderately active and steady; teas dull and unsettled; hides in moderate demand sales of 3 000 Pacific coast private petroleum dull lower cases $16¼@16¾; spirits of turpentine dull unchanged Quicksilver dull at 48 but for refined lots this price would be shaded Wool unchanged sales of 109,000 pounds fall California 13½@17c

NEW YORK, March 14—Markets remain quiet flour dull, unchanged, wheat quiet, 1 cent higher, closing strong with 1 cent more asked

Boston Wool Market.

BOSTON March 13—The wool market continues very dull for all kinds and prices remain without improvement, Sales of Ohio and Pennsylvania at 42@43c for X medium and XX and above the latter being about all that can be obtained for best fleeces in the market, although holders of most choice wool are not disposed to sell at that rate Michigan Wisconsin and New Hampshire fleeces range from 38 to 40c, and low and coarse fleeces from 34 to 37c combing and delaine wool dull and prices nominal at about 48 a 50c extreme prices for the best offering Super and ex pulled wools in moderate demand at 32@35 Pacific coast wool quiet selling at 11@15c for fall and 10@3 for spring.

Home Produce Market.

WHEAT—There are absolutely no points in the present market worthy of comment We can only give current quotations as nominal at $1 70@1 without any disposition to operate on part of either holders or buyers

FLOUR—Fair quotations for best brands are not above $5 50 in considerable quantities but $5 75 is asked for smaller lots in a jobbing way Good country brands quotable at $5@25

OATS—The market is very quiet, with but little inclination to operate on part of shippers Good qualities command 45 cents per bushel Receipts are light

BARLEY—The receipts, which are quite light, are all taken for local consumption at $1 50@1 60 per cwt No shipments are being made.

MILL FEED—Supply fair, bran quotable at $22 [illegible]

HAY—Receipts continue quite adequate to the demand prices range from $10@11 per ton for baled timothy and $8 50@9 for loose do

POTATOES—A good demand for good to choice shipping varieties prevails at 72½@75c per bushel sacks included

RIPE APPLES—Prices depend entirely upon quality and condition best varieties for shipping assorted and packed, $1 25@— loose lots from wagons 75—90c per box

BACON—The demand has improved but stocks are ample to meet it quotable 10@11c for sides 8@8½c for shoulders and 12@14c for hams

LARD—The supply is ample and the market steady at 10@12½ cents ℔

DAIRY PRODUCTS—Butter solid 18@20c ℔ brine 18@20c choice dairy 30@35c cheese quotable at 15@16c ℔ Market quiet

EGGS—Trade fair with buyers quoting at 18 cents per dozen

CHICKENS—Moderate receipts are noted and prices steady at $4 50@5 according to quality

FRESH MEATS—Beef, dressed 4@5c ℔ on foot, 2@2½c; dressed hogs 5@6½c ℔ mutton sheep $2@2 50 a head

Shipping Intelligence

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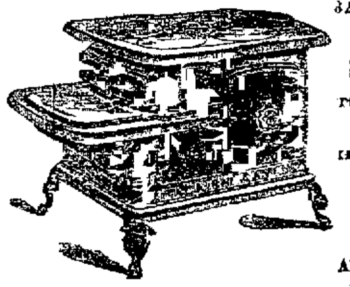

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GENERAL NEWS.

[BY TELEGRAPH TO THE OREGONIAN.]

Against Cremation.

The *Herald's* special says A bill has been introduced in the Pennsylvania legislature making cremations of the human body a crime It will probably pass

Murder and Suicide

YONKERS March 14—Theron Mabitt this afternoon shot and killed Mrs Samuel Legett, then shot and killed himself

Hanged

CONCORD, N H March 15—Joseph Lapaige, alias Joseph Parish, was executed in the state prison to-day for the murder of Josie A. Langmaid aged 17 at Pembroke, on the 4th of October, 1875 He confessed to murdering Miss Langmaid, and Miss Bell, a school teacher at St. Albans in 1874

Polygamists Arrested

BOSTON, Mass March 15—State detectives at Tewksbury yesterday arrested a number of men on the charge of living in open polygamy. An attempt is making to establish a polygamous colony at Tewksbury

The Arlington Case.

RICHMOND, Va, March 15—In the United States court, to day Judge Hughes rendered a decision in the Arlington case sustaining the plaintiff's demurrer to the attorney general's suggestion that because the United States was directly defendant in the suit the court had no jurisdiction to try it

Church Matters.

NEW YORK, March 15—The *Post* says that a majority of the standing committees of the dioceses of the Protestant Episcopal church and all its bishops have consented to the consecration of Rev Geo Seymour, D D, bishop elect of the diocese of Springfield, Illinois. A special meeting of the house of bishops is to be held here June 20th to consider the resignation of his jurisdiction by Bishop McCloskey, of Michigan, and at the same time an election will be proposed of a missionary bishop of New Mexico and Arizona, to fill the vacancy occasioned by the declination of the Rev. Dr Knickerbocker.

Librarian Resigned.

J. Carson Brevoort has resigned the office of superintendent of the Astor library

Appointed U. S. Chief Engineer at Paris.

OMAHA, March 15—T E. Sickles, former chief engineer of the U P R R., has been appointed chief engineer of the U. S department at the Paris exposition

An Escaped Robber.

Vigorous efforts are being made to recapture Henry Underwood, alias Thomas Nixon, the alleged Union Pacific robber, who broke jail at Kearney Tuesday night, stole a team and escaped He was arrested in Texas last Christmas and brought to Nebraska and put under $10,000 bail for his appearance at trial.

The Hot Springs Land Commission.

HOT SPRINGS, Ark, March 15—There is a general anxiety here that congress should legislate promptly to extend the term of the Hot Springs commission which otherwise will expire on the first of April. It will require a year to settle properly the conflicting claims of settlers on the government reservation and until that is accomplished nothing can be done towards rebuilding the burned district or securing sanitary and other improvements that are essential for the benefit of invalids. If congress will but settle the land titles, the receipts from water rents will fully refund for expenditures here, and local taxation and private enterprise will do the rest. There are thousands of health seekers here now and the number nearly doubles annually. The expiration of the commission's term before its work is complete would be a public calamity.

Another Fire at Hot Springs.

HOT SPRINGS, March 15—Some dozen persons were burned out by a second fire to-day, the loss by which was about $10,000. A meeting was held to day to remonstrate against the passage of the senate bill extending the time of the commissioners and authorizing the superintendent to lease the water to the Hot Springs Mountain Water Co.

Another Victim of the Storm.

CHEYENNE, March 15.—The remains of McLean, who went with the hunting party from Laramie last Thursday were found to-day near the place where the bodies of his companions were discovered.

Caught Once in Four Times.

ATLANTA, Ga., March 15—Gus Johnson, the murderer of the negro ferryman Alfred, was hanged at Rome to-day. A tremendous crowd was present. Johnson confessed to four murders

Respited against his Wish.

AUGUSTA, Ga., March 15—Robert McEvoy, convicted for the murder of J J Gregg and sentenced to be hung to-day at Aiken South Carolina, was respited by Gov Hampton till the 20th instant on two grounds, invalidity of sentence and his statement that he knew of the murder of Sawyer at Ridge Springs in 1874 He declared he did not want the respite.

Murder and Arson.

FORT MADISON, Ia., March 16—Last night the house of Henry Glazer, near this city, was burned and the crisped and blackened remains of himself and wife were found in the ruins with all indications that they had been murdered The house was rifled and set on fire. The coroner's jury found a verdict to that effect. He was a rich farmer.

Deep Snow.

BISMARCK March 15—The storm of last week extended over the upper Missouri valley during three days, the snow on the stage road to Fort Buford being from one to fifteen feet

Suspension of an Old Firm.

PHILADELPHIA, March 15—Furnass, Ash & Co., the oldest dry goods and commission house in the city, suspended to-day. The suspension is due to the general depression in business. The liabilities reach between $100 000 and $150,000. The principal losers are the banks and the commercial paper. It is expected they will be able to settle in full

Brilliant Match.

NEW YORK, March 15—The match between Frank Adams finger billiardist and Wm Sexton, took place to night. The conditions were that Adams make 2 000 points with his fingers while Sexton made 1 600 with a cue. The match was won by Adams in the 82d inning, leaving Sexton with 834 points. The winner's average was 0 ?6 31; Sexton's 20 ? Highest fifths Adams largest run 300, 4,?? Sexton's largest, 121 147

The Dartmouth Hazers

HANOVER, N H., March 15—Of the three students arrested for hazing, only one succeeded in getting bail; the other goes to recitations in charge of a keeper. Their trial will take place Monday. Warrants have been issued for the sophomores and several others will be arrested. The matter has been discussed by a most excitement among the friends of the institution.

WEST INDIES

Leonard's Trip to Cuba

NEW YORK, March 15—Late advices from Cuba state that the American consul, Judge Leonard of Louisiana, was there simply on private business and the mission ascribed to him is unfounded

A Dictator in Cuba.

NEW YORK, March 15—The Herald's letter from Cuba yesterday states that Vicente Jarcia has proclaimed himself dictator and assumed the [illegible] and has marched [illegible] the eastern department [illegible] Hilario Ferdia

Arrived, and Nothing More

HAVANA March 15—The mail steamer St. Thomas March 15 [illegible] has been received [illegible] President Baez of San [illegible] July, arrived at Mayaguez [illegible] Porto Rico March 5th [illegible] all that was known [illegible] steamer left